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## Two Churches

### Unity Talks Bog Down

TORONTO (CP)—Merger talks between Anglican and United Church leaders have bogged down since the United Church approved the principles of union last year, an Anglican theologian said Wednesday.

He added that unity talks between Anglicans and Roman Catholics are proceeding more swiftly.

Dr. Eugene Fairweather, professor of dogmatic theology at Trinity College of the University of Toronto, spoke Wednesday before leaving for Malta to take part in the Anglican-Roman Catholic joint preparatory commission. He was appointed by the Archbishop of Canterbury to participate in the discussions.

#### CATHOLICS AGREE

"During long periods of talk we haven't received much enthusiasm and there still isn't much," he said about talks with the United Church. "But we certainly have it with the Roman Catholics because of our wide areas of agreement."

Anglican-Roman Catholic talks began last Jan. 12 after Archbishop Michael Ramsey and Pope Paul VI recommended talks the year before.

#### TRI-PARTNERSHIP

"If we get a breakthrough with Rome, we would have to seize the bird in the hand, but we would continue talks with the United Church in the hope that the whole thing might become a three-way relationship."

He said the immediate goal of the talks was "some form of sacramental communion" in which members of each church would be encouraged to worship together as Christian brothers.

Dr. Fairweather said the United Church might then be invited to join with the Anglicans in a loosely knit "united church with a small U" that would be in communion with Rome on

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## One Learned English

### Anthem Lyrics Down to Eight

VANCOUVER (CP)—The Senate-Commons committee choosing a new set of lyrics for O Canada has narrowed the 500 entries down to eight, including one from a man who didn't know a word of English when he came to this country 11 years ago.

Carpenter August Gedantz, who came to Canada from West Germany in 1956, said Wednesday he has been informed by the committee he is one of the final eight.

Gedantz said his lyrics took about a month to write after he learned English through home study. He said he decided to write the lyrics because "Canada is a fine country and one in which I like to live."

## Olive Branch, Big Stick

# RED 'VOLUNTEERS' CAMBODIA THREAT

From UPI, AP, Reuters

A threat by embattled Cambodia Wednesday to seek help from Communist "volunteers" against any U.S. troops entering Cambodian territory drew an olive branch from Washington — but a big stick from Saigon.

Cambodian head of state Prince Norodom Sihanouk spoke in his third warning to the U.S. in a week, a warning that followed Washington reports saying the U.S. is thinking about pursuit of Viet Cong and North Vietnamese who flee into Cambodia for sanctuary.

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The U.S. reply was the disclosure of a note sent to Cambodia Dec. 4 proposing an international conference or even "informal talks" on the sanctuary problem.

But in Saigon, South Vietnamese President Thieu said that, if anti-Communist troops in his country are hit by enemy fire from within Cambodia, hot pursuit is "indeed a military necessity."

#### POPE CONSIDERING

Elsewhere, a Vatican source said Pope Paul may follow up his talks with President Johnson by sending a Vatican mission to North Vietnam early in 1968 to explore peace possibilities and seek humane treatment for U.S. prisoners of war.

Sihanouk said that, if U.S. forces commit aggression against Cambodia, he will:

- Call on Red China, North Korea and Cuba for volunteer fighters.

- Ask Russia to urge the U.S. not to undertake any military action against Cambodia.

- Seek military equipment from China and Russia.

- Demand that the UN Security Council call an emergency meeting to hear him.

Sihanouk said his country will not allow itself to be "butchered in silence by the Americans."

Then he added his only hopeful phrase: "But I am not pessimistic, as President Johnson has not yet given the green light."

U.S. officials said the Dec. 4 note underlines Washington's hope that the problem can be solved by diplomacy rather than through a widening of the war by authorizing extended military forays into Cambodia.

Nothing hostile. The note said the U.S. is "deeply concerned" about Communist use of Cambodian border areas but has "no hostile intentions toward Cambodia or Cambodian territory."

The note forwarded a summary of documentary evidence of Viet Cong and North Vietnamese havens on Cambodian soil and offered to supply details.

It expressed support for bolstering the International Control Commission to observe various borders in former Indochina.

Direct, informal. "In addition, the United States has supported an international conference on Cambodia, and it has also suggested direct, informal talks with Cambodian officials in order to seek an alternative remedy," the note said.

"The United States is deeply concerned over the critical issue of Viet Cong-North Vietnamese use of Cambodian territory and it wishes to emphasize once more its willingness to cooperate in any reasonable way of controlling this problem."

First of kind. The note reasserted U.S. respect for Cambodia's neutrality, sovereignty, independence and territorial integrity.

Thieu's statement in Saigon was the first of its kind from the southern president, although Foreign Minister Tran Van Do and others often have used the same words.

Thieu said: "South Vietnamese troops must fire back if

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## Czech Spy Swapped For French Artist

PARIS (UPI)—French authorities Wednesday announced a swap with Czechoslovakia of an unidentified Czech spy serving 10 years in a French prison for French artist Serge Oldenbourg, 41.

Oldenbourg had served 10 months of a three-year prison term for letting a Czech soldier use his French passport to defect a year ago. Oldenbourg was in Prague to organize a "happening."

## Truck Thieves Get \$333,365

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio (AP)—

A team of two or three men, working with split-second timing and apparently their own set of keys, escaped with more than \$330,000 Wednesday when they drove off with an armored truck from outside a department store in nearby Boardman, police reported.

Two Kane Secret Service Co. guards were in a department store for "four or five minutes," said Boardman Police Chief Don Hawkins.

"When they returned, the truck was gone," About one-half hour later the truck was found abandoned in a park. The robbers left some money behind.

"I would say it has every ap-

pearance of being an inside job," Hawkins said.

The truck was found abandoned about 1 1/4 miles from where it had been parked.

Hawkins estimated the total loot at \$333,365. He said the truck was carrying money on a bank transfer and also making pickups and deliveries at a shopping center, five miles south of here.

Hawkins said two guards loaded a cart with coins to deliver to the store.

"They closed the automatic locking doors on the truck. They went into the store for four or five minutes. When they returned the truck was gone."

Hawkins said the man who apparently had the key to the truck was wearing a uniform.

## Peasant Led Way to Hideout

# \$4,000 Betrayed Che

PARIS (CP) — The hiding place of revolutionary Ernesto (Che) Guevara was given away by a peasant who wanted a 50,000-peso (about \$4,000) reward, says the French news magazine Paris Match.

An article by French journalist Michele Ray, who earlier this year spent three weeks as a captive of the Viet Cong in South Vietnam, gives a detailed version of the last hours before Guevara died in October.

#### MOUNTAIN GORGE

Miss Ray, who spent six weeks in Bolivia researching the article, said Guevara and other guerrillas were hidden in a mountain gorge when the peasant spotted them.

The article says the peasant told the army commander at the village of La Higuera and troops surrounded the gorge Oct. 9. The army lobbed mortar shells into the area and riddled it with machine-gun bullets, it says.

"Only one solution was left: the besieged guerrillas: To climb," Miss Ray writes.



Ray



Guevara

"Ramon (Guevara's nom de guerre) is wounded in the leg." His friend Willy helped him up the side of the gorge, but they were surrounded by soldiers, the article says.

Shortly before nightfall, it says, Willy and Guevara were taken to La Higuera, which has been surrounded by the army since the day Guevara was captured.

Miss Ray says she was unable to get to the village, but a Bolivian reporter, Jorge Torrico, got through and spoke to several inhabitants.

The article quotes a male nurse in the village as saying: "I went to examine Che. A bad wound in the leg. It was the only one. I washed it out with water and disinfectant."

The article says Guevara kicked one Bolivian officer and spat in the face of an admiral who attempted to question him. The officer he kicked was identified only as Espinosa, who had taken the rebel leader by the hair and yanked a pipe out of his mouth for a souvenir.

REFUSED INFORMATION. Guevara refused to give any other information than his own name to the officers, the account says.

It says that the day after his capture, Guevara was taken to the local school and a sergeant named Mario Terran "came in, his M-2 carbine at his hip."

"Sit down," he (Terran) said.

"Why, since you are going to kill me?" Che replied calmly.

"No, sit down."

"His eyes lowered, avoiding the eyes of his prisoner, Terran makes as though to leave. Suddenly a burst of gunfire. Che crumples up..."

After Terran, Sub-Lt. Lerez shot him in the neck to make sure he was dead, the article says.

GUNFIRE DRAW. Willy and "El Maestro," another guerrilla captured with Guevara, also were shot, it says.

The report adds that after his death, Guevara was fired upon by several other soldiers who were told "not to shoot him above the waist."

The village people crowded around, drawn by the sound of gunfire, Miss Ray says.

"In 10 minutes everyone knew. And it is just for that reason that two months afterwards the village is still shut off from the outside."

## Grandma Shows Canada

Grandmother of three, Mrs. Charles Turner, 50, of Preston, Ont., this week unveiled personal centennial project—100-pound air-cushion machine. Science-minded wife of air conditioning company service manager says she felt Canada is slow in developing such vehicles. She built machine with advice from husband and U.S. firms, and has already completed one test flight with federal sanction. —(CP)

## Five Years --Then Acquittal

MONTREAL (CP)—The Quebec Appeals Court Wednesday acquitted Emile Roussy, 41, of Hull, after he served nearly half of a 10-year term for a 1962 bank holdup.

The five-judge bench ruled 4-1 Roussy was convicted on "suspicious" and circumstantial evidence did not prove guilt beyond reasonable doubt. The five said the lower court judge may have been justified in rejecting Roussy's alibi, but no proof was offered that he was in the area of the crime.

## Road Tolls Change

From AP, UPI

Britain ended the five-day Christmas holiday Wednesday with 88 traffic deaths, 88 fewer than last year, and all authorities credited the new law that keeps many drinking drivers off the road.

Sweden, however, where driving moved to the right side of the road from the left in September, saw its toll jump to 14 from six.

## U.S. Navy Deserters Fed Up

# Quartet Tired of Russia

MOSCOW (AP) — Four U.S. navy deserters who came to Moscow to protest the Vietnamese war told a chance acquaintance Wednesday they are "fed up with Russia."

The deserters, who jumped ship in Japan in October, said they are anxious to get to Sweden and settle down with steady jobs. They said they hope to go in a week or two.

The Swedish embassy, asked whether the sailors had applied for visas, said only: "We have no news of them."

The young sailors chatted openly in Moscow's Gorky Park with an English-speaking member of the diplomatic community while skating on one of the park's frozen ponds. The sailors approached the woman

after they heard her speaking English to friends.

She said they told her they were being kept in a private house about two miles outside of Moscow and were not allowed to move about freely.

The sailors are Craig Anderson, 20, of San Jose, Calif.; John Barilla, 20, of Catonsville, Md.; Richard Bailey, 19, of Jacksonville, Fla., and Michael Lindner, 19, of Mount Pocono, Pa. They have not seen western correspondents since their arrival.

The Soviet Peace Committee, which has been handling them, has turned away reporters with the explanation they did not want to meet western journalists.

## Poison Hunt Exhumes Three Bodies



Gibbs

CORDELE, Ga. (UPI) —

Workmen pitched a sprawling tent over a hillside cemetery plot Wednesday and dug up the bodies of three more members of the family of Mrs. Janis Lou Gibbs, charged with the arsenic murder of one of her sons.

State medical experts stood by in the tent, performing autopsies on the bodies as soon as they were exhumed.

Authorities received permission to exhume the bodies of Mrs. Gibbs' husband, Charles, who died two years ago, and her other two sons, Melvin, 16, and Marvin, 13, because "they died under unusual and suspicious circumstances and there are reasons to believe that

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## Bonus Cheques Baffle Tellers

**DOUBLE CHECK:** Bank of Montreal tellers at Nanaimo are still shaking their heads over a series of Christmas bonus cheques presented by the staff from the Diners Rendezvous.

The dining room and kitchen staff of the Wong family business were given their lift in odd ways.

Cheques were written on various items, including footballs, a cook's apron, a hard hat, an empty wooden crate, paper plates, a take-out order box, a handkerchief, toilet paper, a bikini and a chef's hat.

It was not quite so funny when the staff got to the bank.

The branch manager had been told in advance that the gag was being pulled, but he forgot to tell the tellers. Dr. John Wong, a Victoria surgeon, played Santa, so everyone went home happy.

**IN LIVING COLOR:** Mrs. Rosemary Penn is busy scanning a list of friends wondering just who has color television. On Jan. 21 the film Wild Heart will be screened on Channel 2 at 6:30 p.m. and on Channel 5 at 7:30 p.m.

The Walt Disney film stars Mrs. Penn's son, Andrew, and the kids Porteous. Neither of the children has seen the film which they made two years ago.

Also in the cast are city actors Margaret Martin and Stanley Bowles.

The film will be shown on television in the Walt Disney's Wonderful World of Color series. It will also be shown as the same times in conventional black and white.

**JUST A SUGGESTION:** The night of a woman smoking one of the new length cigarettes will end ordering lunch without



removing the thing from her mouth must be enough to drive other diners to nausea.

The white ward wags up and down and rounds about like a drunken blind man in a Chinese maze, trying to find his way out with a cane. It used to be that our people were everywhere, but our man refuses to go back to that diner.

**THIS TOPS IT:** One passenger who used Air Canada hopes the line will join Quebec when the crunch comes.

The woman was awakened at 7:30 a.m. and advised she was confirmed on a 9 a.m. flight to Seattle. Great service — it just happened to be the wrong day.

The same traveller is still wondering why the airline did not call last week and tell her the flight to Seattle was three hours late. The happy throng just waited and waited out at the airport. Getting there is half the fun!

**EVERY DAY IN EVERY WAY:** Jack Davis, MP for Coast Carleton, has to be the nation's biggest optimist.

In a letter to his constituents, he says there will be 200,000 new jobs in Canada in 1968, our standard of living will go up by 2 per cent, new home construction will break all existing records, Ottawa will spend less, proportionately, of our national income than in any year since 1939, and he adds that Canada will be one of the few countries in

the Western world with a balanced budget.

Mr. Davis must have been studying at the W. A. C. Bennett School of Bookkeeping. It will be interesting to see just how accurate the North Vancouver sayer of sooths is by the time 1968 comes around.

**GONGS GLORIE:** A caller wanted to know why there had been no announcement of Centennial Medal winners' names from the armed services.

To get an answer, I called Lt.-Col. Ray Wornald, who keeps the world informed on matters military from his HMC Dockyard office.

He says there have been so many handed out it would be impractical for the papers to run the list. There are more than 30 medal winners on the admiral's staff alone.

**LIFE'S LITTLE MISERIES:** Suppose you're leaving a message by phone, maybe asking someone to call you, and the party on the other end of the line takes your name while you patiently spell it out.

Then, when you come to the phone number the other party interjects: "Just a minute while I get a pencil."

After the deadly silence you go back to explaining the whole bit over again, and the other party then promptly loses the paper, the pencil and you lose your faith.

Perhaps for 1968 people will get phone pads and pencils.

## Cambodia Threatens

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attacked by the enemy from Cambodia."

He declined comment on Do's recent report of a letter Thieu is sending to North Vietnam's Ho Chi Minh about direct talks. But in Abidjan, Ivory Coast, the world-touring foreign minister said the letter will call on Ho to "end the suffering of our people and the war."

Do said Thieu "will simply say that, as Vietnamese, President Ho Chi Minh and himself have a duty and responsibility toward the Vietnamese people of both north and south to end the suffering of our people and the war."

**SOON AS POSSIBLE**

If Ho agrees to a meeting, said Do, representatives will meet as soon as possible to discuss the time, place and means.

At the Vatican, the word was that the Pope has not made a final decision on a mission to Hanoi, but approval is likely next month. Johnson said during his pre-Christmas meeting with Pope Paul that such a mission might aid the cause of peace.

The Vatican source said any mission would probably also offer medical and other aid to northern civilian victims of the war.

**FRONTIER ISSUE**

The Saigon-Phnom Penh exchange developed on a frontier issue which United States President Johnson was reported still hoping to solve diplomatically — the problem of Communist forces using Cambodian territory as a sanctuary from which to attack South Vietnam.

Sihanouk's government last week rejected a proposal from the U.S. proposing strengthening of the International Commission to enable it to prevent the use of Cambodian territory by the Communists as far as possible, Canadian, Indian and Polish representatives make up the ICC.

U.S. officials in Washington reported pressures are growing inside the Johnson administration for military action if diplomacy fails. They said American troops are shot at from Cambodia, but are limited now to returning the fire. Cambodia charged "daily incursions" have been made by both American and South Vietnamese government forces.

U.S. Ambassador Ellsworth Bunker said recently there were no plans to enlarge the "limited objectives" of the Vietnam war with an invasion of Cambodia. But he is known to feel privately that South Vietnamese

government troops should enter the Communist sanctuaries under the proper conditions.

Addressing his national congress in Phnom Penh, Sihanouk said he has plans to face up to the possibility of invasion.

"We will ask China, Russia and other anti-imperialist powers for new military aid," he said. "In the event we are unable to contain the successive waves of the aggressor we will call on volunteers from certain friendly nations, in the first place China, North Korea and Cuba."

**ASSEMBLY IDEA**

"On the diplomatic level we will complain to the United Nations Security Council and ask for an extraordinary meeting of the UN General Assembly to hear a speech by the Cambodian chief of state on the illegal occupation of Indochina, the killing of its peoples, and the aggression on non-Communist Cambodia by the United States of America."

The prince denounced Cambodian Communists, accusing them of subversion and sabotage. He also said he intends to quit as interim leader of the government and it was time for the legislators to choose a regular government.

Dr. Ernest Long, secretary of the United Church of Canada's general council, said in an interview:

"We would not be interested in anything other than the integration of structures as well as sacraments of the two churches. We would be interested in a totally new embodiment of the church — richer and more far-reaching than either one alone," he said.

**DATE UNKNOWN**

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## Help Hard to Find Diving Skipper Repairs Liner

**LONDON (AP)** — The captain of the luxury ocean liner *Francor* put on skindiving gear, jumped into the water and fixed a leak under the ship himself, a spokesman for Cunard Steamship Company said Wednesday.

Capt. Phil Read, 57, fixed a leak near the starboard propeller of the ship in Tangier Tuesday. The ship, with 700 passengers, was on a Christmas cruise.

The captain, an experienced skin diver, and a senior mechanic, Kenneth King, did the

repair job because divers were hard to find in the Moroccan port.

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## Your Good Health

### Why Hunt for Trouble?

By JOSEPH MOLNER, MD

Dear Dr. Molner: What are the dangers of ill effects of the use of cortisone to control skin eruptions? It has been eight years since the last seige which was worse than now.

I hesitate to allow the use of cortisone although I think that it may have been the factor that brought the skin trouble under control.

Selves seem to be of little use except to ease itching. — Mrs. E.K.

This is the type of fearfulness that makes me see red.

There's been so much talk about side effects that some people, without thinking, start hunting for troubles — just like hunting for bogey men under the bed.

Of course, cortisone CAN have side effects. So can just about every medicine in use today.

But the side effects are not automatically present when a medicine is used. They show up, if at all, when it is necessary to use a great deal of whatever drug it is, or if the patient uses more than he was told to take, or if he has some unusual sensitivity to it.

It is an integral part of the science and art of medicine to be able to judge how much to use and what signs to watch for in case dosage needs to be changed or the drug stopped.

I certainly have no objections whatever to pharmaceutical firms being required to provide full information about drugs, the risks to be avoided as well as the benefits to be gained. The

more we know about these matters, the better.

But I have become increasingly upset by letter from people who are refusing, or thinking of refusing, to take some medicine for fear that "it might be harmful."

Certainly protracted use of cortisone can lead to fluid retention, birtiness, and all the rest, but that has nothing to do with use of cortisone in quantities customarily employed which involve no side effects at all.

Mrs. K. should look at it this way: Here she is thinking of refusing to use a medication, although the same one, used eight years ago, cleared up her trouble without any harmful side effects.

Doesn't it seem far-fetched to look for trouble now when there was none before?

## The Weather

DEC. 28, 1967

Mainly cloudy, mild. Winds west 15. Wednesday's precipitation, .01 inch; sunshine, 1 hour, 12 minutes; recorded high and low at Victoria, 49 and 45. Today's sunrise 8:06; sunset 4:25; moonrise 5:38; moonset 1:56.

East Coast of Vancouver Island—Mostly cloudy, occasional light drizzle, few fog patches, mild. Winds light. Wednesday's precipitation, nil; recorded high and low, 49 and 34. Today's forecast high and low, 46 and 38.

West Coast of Vancouver Island—Mainly cloudy, occasional drizzle and fog patches, mild. Winds light, occasionally west 15. Forecast high and low at Tofino, 50 and 45.

North Coast—Cloudy, occasional drizzle, fog patches.

Mild. Winds light, occasionally southwesterly 15.

Five-day outlook—Temperatures will average near normal through Monday. Rainfall expected to average less than normal, occurring mostly today, and Sunday or Monday.

**READINGS**

Palm Springs	83	66
St. John's	42	35
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Charlottetown	51	33
Montreal	50	32
Ottawa	49	31
Toronto	49	31
North Bay	49	31
Port Arthur	5	12
Kenora	0	25
Churcheill	28	29
Winnipeg	3	16
Brandon	3	16
The Pas	11	24
Regina	6	5
Saskatoon	6	5
Prince Albert	30	1
North Battleford	16	9
Medicine Hat	16	9
Lethbridge	44	14
Calgary	42	9
Edmonton	38	4
Winnipeg	28	21
Brandon	39	31



## Peasants' Reaction Study

# Bigger Conflict Bound to Test Saigon

By PETER ARNETT  
An AP News Analysis  
SAIGON (AP) — The war promises to get bigger in 1968 and as it does the confidence of the South Vietnamese people toward the Saigon government will be severely tested.

Both sides will be watching how the South Vietnamese continue to react to the warfare that has driven many from their homes and to the government they elected this year.

NOT SURPRISING

To some Americans, at least, it will not be surprising if anti-war sentiment rises among the peasants remaining on the land. The majority are in the Mekong Delta, much of it barely touched by battles so far.

The war has uprooted about a quarter of the population, or approximately 4,000,000 people. An estimated five per cent of the land under cultivation has been defoliated with sprays to keep

crops from the Viet Cong guerrillas.

No accurate figures are compiled, but by the best available yardsticks about 25,000 civilians have been killed this year as a result of war action. Hundreds of villages have been burned by both sides in an effort to deny strength to the enemy.

Governor George Romney of Michigan spoke of the military and human sides of the war as he left South Vietnam Wednesday. He mentioned actions outside the military aspects—in the political, economic and social fields—and observed: "There the enemy Communists are winning some substantial victories."

DEPRESSING WAR

There is no question that the war has become a depressing matter to many of the people. An extreme viewpoint of this came this month from a senior American civilian who told a re-

porter: "If the people of my area of South Vietnam had the choice of continuing the war, or living in peace under the Viet Cong, they'd take the Viet Cong."

This was in the 2nd Corps region, which includes the central highlands.

The government's pacification program—designed to win the hearts and minds of the population—has had to suffer in recent months in various areas while the anti-Communist allies moved to halt Communist assaults in such places as the Dak To hills and the demilitarized

zone separating South Vietnam from North Vietnam.

Militarily, tacticians at this stage cannot be sure that a single decisive battle has yet been fought. More than 80,000 Communists were reported to have died this year and this is in part a basis for official optimism as to the eventual result. But the Communists continue to commit manpower prodigally in battles that seem to get them nowhere.

FRENCH DEFEAT

The commander of an American brigade recalls that the Viet Minh, the nationalist-Communist effort that routed the French from their rule of Indochina, lost perhaps 500,000 dead.

He said the Communists "are much better organized now and they have lost nowhere near that number in this year."

They showed this year that they are still willing to sacrifice troops—and they also brought up additional firepower.

HARD HIT

Their deployment of artillery and rockets hit hard at U.S. marines along the demilitarized zone and they began sending heavy rocket units into South Vietnam.

Over-all, it is hard to escape the conclusion that 1967 has been a curtain-raiser for a military showdown in 1968.



Burden of War

American soldier, weighted down with personal gear and unit equipment, carries more than fair share of load during Operation Wheeler in southern region of South Vietnam.—(AP)

## Thai Soldiers Guard Border

BANGKOK (AP) — Thailand's army commander reported Wednesday that government troops have been alerted to positions near the northern border to face three Communist battalions in Laos that include North Vietnamese.

Gen. Praphas Charusatien, deputy premier and commander of the Thai army, said one Communist battalion was trying to cross the border into Thailand from Laos. He said the unit totals some 600 men.

GENERAL OFFENSIVE

In neighboring Laos, the defense minister said in a communique that reports from several fronts "confirm a general North Vietnamese offensive" in Laos but that weekend

Communist attacks were contained by government forces.

In Vietnam, helicopter-borne U.S. paratroops fought a nine-hour battle in one area Wednesday and a South Vietnamese battalion clashed with Viet Cong forces in another as heavy post-Christmas ground action extended down the South Vietnamese coast.

SI DEAD

West of coastal Tuy Hoa, about 250 miles northeast of Saigon, paratroops of the U.S. 173rd Airborne Brigade reported killing 31 of an estimated 300 enemy troops.

A South Vietnamese battalion of regulars and militiamen reported killing 40 of the enemy in a day-long battle in Quang Ngai Province.

## Egypt Will Free Ships in Suez But Refuses to Reopen Canal

CAIRO (AP) — The Egyptian government said Wednesday it soon may release 15 ships trapped in the southern part of the Suez Canal but the 107-mile waterway will not be cleared and reopened until Israel removes its troops from the Sinai Peninsula.

A government spokesman, Dr. Mohamed Hassan el Zayyat, told correspondents Egypt is studying a plan to remove a sunken vessel from the southern

portion of the canal to allow the stranded ships to depart.

The canal has been closed because of sunken ships since the June 5-10 Middle East war in which Israeli troops swept across the Sinai Peninsula and took up positions along the canal's east bank.

NOT UNDER GUNS

Zayyat said clearance of the southern end of the canal is feasible, but stressed "we cannot reopen the canal under the

shadow of Israeli guns on the east bank of the canal."

U.S., British, French, West German, Swedish, Bulgarian, Polish and Czechoslovak ships are trapped in the canal. They were caught in transit June 5, and 14 of them were herded into Great Bitter Lake about midway in the canal. Another ship is in Lake Timsah.

CREWS IDLE

Included is the American freighter African Glenn that was operating under charter to the U.S. defense department. The ships have skeleton crews and the 208 seamen have exchanged friendly visits during their nearly seven months of enforced idleness.

Egypt, turning down reopening requests in September, insisted no part of the canal could be cleared in advance of an Israeli withdrawal.

Zayyat said clearance operations would have to be conducted from both banks and "we cannot operate from the Israeli-held east bank."

SIX AT BOTTOM

Egypt said a week after the war that several ships were sunk in the canal by Israeli bombers. French shipping firms have reported five ships, including a barge full of cement, are sunk north of Great Bitter Lake and an Egyptian dredge is sunk at the canal's southern end.

Closure of the canal has hurt world shipping by forcing long voyages around Africa. It also is costly to Egypt, which in 1966 collected about \$170,000,000 in tolls for use of the canal.

The canal was closed for months in 1956 and 1957 when Egypt scuttled dozens of ships at the outbreak of the war with Israel.

## Airport Fog Made Rain

WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. space agency said it has obtained good results in a project intended to ease airport fog problems by turning the mist into full-fledged rain drops. The tests, conducted at the Cornell Aeronautical Laboratory in Buffalo, N.Y., involve seeding banks of fog shrouding airports with sodium chloride dispensed from a light plane.



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## Freed by Cong

# Ex-Prisoners to Re-Enlist

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Two master sergeants who were released recently by the Viet Cong and returned to the United States are planning to re-enlist in the army, officials said Wednesday.

They were identified as Daniel L. Pitzer of Spring Lake, N.C., and Edward R. Johnson of Harrisburg, Pa. A third soldier released with them, Staff Sgt. James E. Jackson Jr. of Talcott, W. Va., was reported to be considering re-enlistment.

Pitzer joined the National Guard in 1947 and enlisted in the regular army in 1948. Johnson, who has been in the army since 1943, is still undergoing treatment at Walter Reed Hospital. The other two men are at home.

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## Parley Sought In Yemen Issue

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Iraqi Foreign Minister Ismail Khairallah called Wednesday for an urgent meeting of the three-nation Yemen peace committee "in view of the deteriorating situation in the Yemen."

Khairallah, a member of the committee, appealed to the warring Yemeni republicans and royalists to stop hostilities and urged all nations not to interfere in Yemen's internal affairs.

The foreign minister's statement was broadcast by Baghdad radio, which said Khairallah was on his way to Cairo, Egypt.

A second member of the committee, Foreign Minister Ahmed Laraki of Morocco, was on his way to Damascus to talk with Syrian officials about the com-

ing Arab summit conference, while the chairman, Sudanese Premier Ahmed Mahgoub, is in Khartoum.

Khairallah said the two other members had agreed the committee should meet immediately.

The Yemeni republicans have spurned committee efforts to arrange a national reconciliation conference and say it should mediate between the republicans and Saudi Arabia, who backed the royalists.

Republican authorities in San'a claimed Tuesday that royalist offensives in the north and east have dwindled in the last five days, but Moscow radio said that San'a was under intensive fire and embassy staffs have been evacuated.

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## Dangerous Practice

HOW WIDESPREAD the habit of sniffing volatile  
intoxicants may be no local authority seems  
prepared to estimate. But there are parents whose  
children have experimented with these substances who  
believe a substantial number periodically or habitu-  
ally inhale such things as nail polish remover or glue  
or paint thinner.

There are a number of these intoxicants, and they  
are readily available.

And no one—with the exception of the parents  
affected—is particularly perturbed.

Yet doctors say the practice is dangerous and  
studies in the United States have indicated it may  
lead to addiction to heroin in adult life.

According to Professor Howard Blum, quoted in  
an article in Wednesday's Daily Colonist, "Reported  
risks include death and physiological damage," specifi-  
cally to the liver, "dependency," meaning addiction,  
"self-destructive acts" and "anti-social acts  
while under the influence."

Verified risks include assaultive and suicidal  
tendencies among intoxicated children.

These facts are enough to warrant a closer  
examination of the situation.

Police Chief John Gregory has taken steps to  
induce storekeepers to take nail polish remover out  
of self-service areas. But he cannot compel them.  
There is no law which can be used to put these intoxi-  
cants beyond the reach of children or to prevent  
their sale to them. Until there is some sort of con-  
trol the risk will remain.

There is a feeling that publicity regarding the  
problem will only add to it. This is a possibility.  
And yet it seems the course of wisdom at least to  
sound a warning.

The co-operation of the shops seems to be a first  
requirement and for a fuller solution the attorney-  
general's department might have the answer.

## Safety Improvement

AUTOMOBILES manufactured after Sunday,  
the last day of 1967, will be subject to new safety-  
equipment regulations in the United States, and this  
is of importance to Canadians because the standards  
set by the U.S. transportation department will largely  
be met in this country also.

Some of the most important of the regulations  
provide for collapsible steering wheel assemblies, safer  
tires and rims, dual braking systems, two cross-chest  
safety belts in the front seats and a lap belt for each  
seat.

Additional changes are on the way, in a gradual  
process. Another tentative set of regulations has  
gone out to industrial, research and other groups in  
the United States for comment, which if and when  
approved by the department will be applied to vehicles  
manufactured after December 31, 1968. The depart-  
ment proposes among other things to require installa-  
tion of headrests in passenger cars to reduce neck  
injuries in rear-end collisions, improvement of hood-  
latch devices to reduce the chance of hoods accident-  
ally flying open, and installation of passenger  
car locking systems to minimize the accidental open-  
ing of rear doors by children from the inside.

All of the mandatory American improvements  
hold promise of a significant increase in road safety,  
but with some qualification. The purpose of many of  
them is not to make cars more accident-proof, but  
only reduce fatalities and the severity of injuries when  
accidents occur. The benefits could be seriously offset  
were people to get the idea that they were now driving  
automobiles with safety built in, and accordingly  
act in more careless fashion.

And of course safety equipment provides no safety  
if it isn't used. A survey by Volvo covering 28,000  
accidents is cited as showing that no death to a  
belted occupant of a vehicle occurred at a speed  
below 60 miles an hour; unbelted motorists were  
killed at speeds as low as 12 miles an hour. The  
belted had far fewer deaths and serious injuries than  
the unbelted.

But in the face of such facts, a survey of the  
Auto Industries Highway Safety committee in the  
United States, in which more than a million cars  
were checked, disclosed that about 65 per cent had  
lap seat belts; a little more than half of the drivers  
said they always used their belts on long trips; a  
little more than a third said they used them for local  
driving.

The new regulations are welcome—but safety  
remains mostly in the hands and the heads of the  
motorists.

## Prophetic Season

ONCE AGAIN it is the season of prophecies. For  
the past week and until next Sunday, astrolog-  
ers, crystal ball gazers, tea cup readers and assorted  
fortune tellers have been and will be vying with each  
other in their attempts to place their predictions for  
1968 before the public.

And, as in the past, many of the things forecast  
by such people will come to pass—especially those of  
prognosticators who follow the sage advice of the 19th  
century American poet James Russell Lowell who  
said: "Don't ever prophesy—unless you know."

Perhaps even the most highly regarded future-  
seer today, Argentine astrologer Mario Carino Pug-  
liese, may fall into this cautious category inasmuch  
as he always seems to pronounce on a sure thing. For  
instance, he forecasts that President Johnson is going  
to have a tough time in 1968, a development which  
hardly needs special knowledge of the occult influ-  
ence of the stars upon human affairs to see.

Happily, or as many will think—unhappily—  
Canada seems to be suffering a shortage of such  
prophets this year. Indeed, politicians seem to be  
the only ones bold enough to bespeak the coming year  
and judging from past performances they can hardly  
be termed reliable. Where, one may ask, is their  
balanced budget, their great new spirit of national  
unity and their cure for unemployment which they  
predicted for 1967?

Yet never have conditions been more favorable  
for would-be prophets. Even the most humble and  
untrained do-it-yourself type can hardly go wrong  
this year in foretelling what will happen in Canada  
next year.

For example—and without the use of stars—  
these predictions come very easily:

- Canada will have a new prime minister in 1968.
- Taxes will be higher in 1968.
- The cost-of-living will be higher in 1968.
- There will be some strikes in 1968.
- Absenteeism in the Commons will continue in 1968.

Arguments, anyone?



Ottawa Offbeat

## Paul Martin's Political Genius

By RICHARD JACKSON, Colonist Ottawa Bureau

YOU know why Paul Martin kept himself so far above the din of battle, asked the voice-on-the-phone?

To keep from being wounded, that's why.

Through four-going-on-five years, in fact ever since he and Jack Pickens together pulled down the tottering minority Diefenbaker government, he has conserved himself almost exclusively with international affairs.

None of the successive govern- ment crises so much as brushed him.

Others, from the prime minister on down through the ranks of the cabinet, collided head-on with one crisis or another—there has been a wide choice of disasters—some of them fatally.

The cabinet casualty rate has been high—Maurice Lamontagne, Guy Favreau, Lucien Cardin, Yvon Dupuis, Watson MacNaught, Harry Hays, Rene Tremblay, Jean-Paul Deschamps, even Jack the Pick—all departing for a variety of good and not-so-good reasons.

Paul Martin goes on forever, as he has these past 32 years, unscathed, unperturbed, un- fazed.

Benign and beaming, "His Beatitude," as they fondly call him.

Until now, he has remained majestically remote even from the Liberal leadership race in which public opinion polls, already handicapping the entrants, have made him the easy front-runner.

"What leadership race?" he is asked with a becomingly unconcerning air of innocence.

How does he manage it, this pro of old pros?

He has remained in the isolation of external affairs, splendidly insulated from the dangerous infections of domestic political warfare, said the voice-on-the phone, simply be- cause he has too much to lose.

So when the Liberals need a new leader—which is now—he is able to present himself as the one candidate acceptable to all segments of the population.

In all sections of the country, with no points off for ever having said, much less done, the unacceptable thing.

Smart, what?

Just look at the competition. Finance Minister Mitchell Sharp, running hard may never overtake and erase his image in the public mind of the big spender.

Yes, conceded Prime Minister Pearson at his pre-ministerial press conference, his Liberal MPs and senators were very concerned—as was wasn't—with the cost of living and the accelerating rate of government spending.

He had ordered a cut—hundreds upon hundreds of millions of dollars, as he phrased it—in spending, stepping in as prime minister to do a job that should have been done by the finance minister.

And the still rising cost of living?

Well, said the PM, it wasn't as bad as in some countries and worse than in others.

Worse than the United States? Yes, he replied frankly at a bit bleatily, in full realization that the less-entitled American economy was financing a multi-billion dollar war.

Big spending and inflation, expanding budgets and taxes and a shrinking dollar—the finance minister again.

And what about the other competitor in the leadership field of "the big three," Trans- port Minister Healey?

Leaving the defence depart- ment for the transport depart- ment hasn't been doing him any great good.

Among the MPs there is a disposition to murmur some- thing about having pulled down the navy, army and air force, scrambling them into one unified service and then casually walking away from it while somebody else finished the job of putting the pieces together.

Smacks a bit, they grumble, of abandoning ship.

And for what? Transport—with czar Jack Pickens really the boss of the show, in defence there was so much still to do—and so well.

But Paul Martin's remarkable talent for avoiding any unwell- come personally damaging involvement has extended even into his own never-never world of external affairs.

For who took the lumps when Le Grand Charles marched in unbelieveable de Gaulle arro- gance across Quebec crying that it was "free"? Not you-know-who. The PM that's who.

Even when U Thant evicted Canada's peace-keepers from Suez and Gaza and ended the dream of Canadians serving as international policemen for the whole world, Paul Martin re- mained clean of the stain of policy failure.

With sheer genius like that, only Paul Martin holds the leadership ace, leaving his rivals with the deuces.

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With sheer genius like that, only Paul Martin holds the leadership ace, leaving his rivals with the deuces.

## Devaluation Dispiriting

## Gloom Over Britain

By KENNETH HARRIS from London

THE political atmosphere in Britain today is one of con- fusion, suspicion, inhibition and restlessness.

Not that life in Britain, by and large, seems to suffer. There was no dismay on the faces of old and young as they walked down the streets of Britain's cities, spending at a rate which guaranteed "a bumper Christmas." The towns on the faces of the shoppers were due to the traffic and the pedestrian crush, not to the prices of the goods they desired to buy nor to the political prospects of the United King- dom.

Underlying these minor seasonal worries, however, is a political mood which strikes many observers as more un- healthy than any they can recall in their lifetimes.

Devaluation of the pound, for one thing, has had a thoroughly dispiriting effect. Those who favored it and those who opposed it had at least one argument in common—that to devalue would be to take a plunge into a cold, hard, strenuous sea, and the effects would be decisive one way or another.

But this does not seem to have been the case. Devaluation has brought about not a conclu- sion of the discussion but another apparently endless chapter in it. Will Britain take the necessary steps to take advantage of devaluation? Will she contrive the appropriate measures of control over in- creases in wages and prices? Will British industry make the effort to produce that crucially important export-led boom which is the rationale of devalu- ation? Did we devalue the pound enough? May we have to devalue again?

Many members of the ruling Labor Party have spoken against devaluation. More im- portant, the Conservative Opposition has continued to decry it from the moment it was announced. So, what has for many years been regarded, whether one was in favor of it or not, as a once and-for-all epoch-making decision—a crossing of the Rubicon, a cutting of the Gordian knot, a glorious, however dangerous, burning of the British boats—now seems only the beginning of another era of doubts, misgiv- ings and anxious self-examina- tion.

There are other sources of disaffection. For several years

upon their schooldays as a time for "letting off steam" before they embark upon the cloistered life of young Muslim women.

"A woman cannot go alone to Saudi Arabia," friends had warned me before I left for Jed- dah. I went alone. They well-intentioned foreign resi- dents in Jeddah, I counseled me against going to the souq (market), the old quarters of the city, to take photographs.

After heeding the warnings for two days, I walked alone to the market in the evening. It was great fun; especially in the cloth market, where street after street of small shops shimmered with such displays of exotic gold and silver-embroidered velvets and silks, pearl and stone-encrusted cloths—all criss-crossed and stamped with "Made in Japan." My being there alone did not cause a stir. The Saudi street population is almost entirely male. Those women who were out and about were shrouded in robes and veils. But I encountered only helpful courtesies.

The people are soft-spoken and unharried. Saudi Arabia is aloof, not only geographically, but emotionally and socially.

Tourism in Saudi Arabia is a religio-political-economic affair. Every year hundreds of thou- sands—there were about one million last year—of Muslim pilgrims pour into the kingdom from all over the world to visit the holy places of Islam—Mecca, Medina, Mount Arafat—which are strictly out of bounds to infidels—including Christians. So there is as yet no "sun" tourism in Saudi Arabia.

The country offers great possi- bilities, with its long stretches of Red Sea and Arabian Gulf beaches; its deserts and moun- tains; its virtually untouched wealth of archaeological sites; but Saudi Arabia does not need tourists, and does not approve of "fun."

King Feisal favors the eman- cipation of his country's women, but as emancipation that will not shock the religious authority and the many Saudi men, who out of religious conviction or for other personal reasons prefer no change.

From the country's 250 or more schools and institutes for girls, jobs are becoming open to Saudi girls—but they are jobs in keeping with tradition and femininity: teaching, nursing and social work in welfare and community development cen- tres. Progress is cautious and slow, step by step, veil by veil.

The temper and conduct of the British people, however, reflect little or nothing of this mood. There is, apparently, a general scepticism about the panaceas of politics and politi- cians, but this is not much more noticeable than is normally the case.

The country is more prosper- ous on a personal level, more healthy, happy and full of joie de vivre than can ever be remembered. When one compares Britain at the end of 1967 with the immediate post-war Britain of ration books and austerity; with Britain and its half-starving unemployed of 1932; with Britain with the uncertain, class-conscious, il- luded, under-educated populace of the early twenties; when one looks back on these Britains of the past, the Britain of today seems at the gates of Paradise—and ready to give a good account of itself at Armaged- don.

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## Arabia in the Modern World—II

## The Veils Are Dropping One by One

By IRENE BEESON from Riyadh

WOMEN of Saudi Arabia are struggling out of virtual slavery to a man's world, but rarely can the process have thrown up such wild conflicts. In a seductive voice, a Jeddah Radio disc jockey, answering requests from Saudi girls and boys, tunes into Can't You See What You're Doing to Me? in an English language program, yet in this same kingdom, the penalty for adultery by a woman is still death by stoning.

Like Salome, the Saudi woman is dropping her veils one by one. Literally, too; the five or six layers of cloth behind which she is compelled to hide her face from men in public, is now down to one. Yet, lying beside the transistor radio on my desk, printed in severe black type, is a national warning to women by Sheikh Abdullah al-Khatib—in a sermon delivered in Mecca recently—that those who drop the veil "will go to hell and lose the paradise promised to all good Muslims."

There were a dozen or so Saudi women on my flight from Amman to Jeddah, but only one—an elderly woman—wore the long black abayah in which all Saudi girls who have reached the age of menstruation are commanded to envelop themselves. She did not, however, wear the veil.

The others wore conservative European dress—skirts and two-piece suits—except for two who must have deemed themselves, if not in the eyes of God, at least in those of Western dress designers. One wore black stretch slit pants and high-heeled sling-back silver shoes, and the other, a spindly-legged dusky-skinned little daughter of Nubia, no more than 11 years old, teetered up and down the airport lounge in stiletto-heeled golden sandals and a bright pink crocheted dress.

But by the time we reached Jeddah airport—ancient sub- mission reassured itself. The nylon-clad legs, stretch pants, pink lace, pretty young faces—all had vanished under yards of black cloth and veils.

"But our women are eman- cipated," a much-travelled Saudi man told me naively. "At home they dress like European women; it is only when they go into the streets that they must cover themselves." But in the streets of Jeddah there are very few women, and life appears to be organized and run entirely by men. In the market men chose fabrics and garments for the

veiled women they escort; and I saw unaccompanied men haggle over and buy frilly, flimsy feminine underwear. The men also market for food and anything required in the home.

Saudi Arabia is a strictly "dry" country. The nearest approach to a drink is non-alcoholic beer, a "malt beverage" presented in deceptively real beer bottles. There is no night life; no theatres, night clubs or cinemas. "We tried to

have a cinema," an official told me, "but we found that people misused it, so we had to close it." "But," he added, "there are private cinemas."

"Would I be allowed to see a film in a private cinema?" I asked.

"No, that would not be possible," he replied. "They are not for women."

Visiting businessmen conclude transactions as fast as the humid, soporific atmosphere al- lows. Waiting for their Saudi counterparts, they sit in hotel lounges, reading two-day-old newspapers. Saudi men, on the whole, appear to be satisfied with things as they are. And if they are rich, they spend a good deal of time abroad, in Beirut, Paris, London, New York, which they confess they know better than any Arab country, espe- cially Saudi Arabia.

This estimate, specialized knowledge of Western capitals is, to a large extent, to blame for Saudi men's reluctance to emancipate for their women.

"When our men go to the West they spend much of the time in bars and nightclubs. They seem to meet only girls and women who are... how shall I say?... easy. Women who are interested only in money. They don't go into homes, live with families, see the other side of the picture—normal home life. They come back to Saudi Arabia convinced that emanci- pation would inevitably plunge their own women into that kind of life."

There are 970 girls, aged from about six to seventeen years, studying at a semi-private



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## Chinese Troops on Cambodian Soil Unlikely

# Sihanouk's Threat Has Empty Ring

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By HAROLD MORRISON  
From London

Prince Norodom Sihanouk told a bell with an empty ring when he threatened to get help from China, North Korea and Cuba if the United States should violate Cambodian territory in pursuing the slippery Viet Cong guerrillas and North Vietnamese.

His words are intended to conjure up a picture of an expanded Vietnam war, with hordes of Chinese troops

rushing to friendly Cambodia to drive back the Americans and South Vietnamese and perhaps finally drive them into the sea.

But would Sihanouk tolerate and trust Chinese troops on Cambodian soil?

For all his eccentricities, the fun-loving musical prince is a shrewd politician. He has managed to sit at the seat of power, in one form or another, for more than a quarter-century. He professes neutrality but shows a pro-



Sihanouk

found respect for the big giant closest to home — China.

His neutrality doesn't prevent him from expressing hatred of American policy and more than muted sympathy for the Viet Cong. Yet he fears the Communists in his own country and often has expressed a desire to eradicate them.

It could be questioned, therefore, whether Sihanouk would risk inviting Chinese troops to be stationed in Cambodia. They might never leave.

Nevertheless there is danger of a serious escalation in the Vietnam war. The Americans are bogged down, with virtually no hope of winning a quick military victory.

The closer the U.S. edges towards its 1968 elections, the more anxious President Johnson may become to find some final solution, even if risks must be taken.

A number of Washington reports suggest one such risk is to pursue the Communists beyond Vietnam's borders. Such pursuit could do little to change the prospects of victory but would give American troops the feeling they can better cope with hit-and-run Communist attacks.

Sihanouk maintains Cambodia provides no sanctuary for the North Vietnamese and Viet Cong, though evidence before the International Control Commission of Cambodia, India and Poland bodies challenges his statements.

The border between Cambodia and South Vietnam is long and largely undefended. Much of the area is covered by great forests that can provide shelter for troops.

Once the Americans and their South Vietnamese allies openly establish the principle of "hot pursuit," it might be just another step to pursue across the North Vietnamese border.

That kind of escalation might lead to outright invasion — and perhaps the beginning of a third world war.

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## Defending Dollar Main Aim

AP, from Washington

Defending the U.S. dollar is emerging as a cardinal aim of Johnson administration policy in 1968.

President Johnson's annual messages to the new session of Congress in January are expected to call for:

● Intensified measures to curb the outflow of dollars and expand U.S. export sales to help close a worsening deficit in international payments.

● With even greater urgency than before, the proposed 10 per cent surcharge on individual and corporate income taxes, to help keep American prices competitive in world markets.

● Removal of the "gold cover" of the currency, thus releasing about \$10,500,000,000 out of the nation's entire \$12,500,000,000 gold stock — for sale if needed to maintain the established \$35-an-ounce price of gold. It would demonstrate to gold speculators the country's willingness to commit its whole reserve to the dollar's defence.

Plans for a broadened program to reduce the balance-of-payments gap have been assigned high priority. Treasury and commerce departments and White House officials are participating in drafting the plan.

Their efforts were accelerated by recent events. The European countries which have pledged their own gold reserves to help the United States fend off the revived anti-dollar gold speculation of the past two weeks have hinted broadly that their future support may depend on sterner American efforts to close its payments deficit.

Instead, it is evident that the gap widened seriously in the final quarter of 1967. The actual figures still are not completed.

An enlarged and energized export expansion drive is part of the plan, but no word has been given on the type of restraints contemplated to slow the flow of U.S. capital abroad.

## Early Stampede Explained

# U.S. Campaign Off with Rush

By JOSEPH KRAFT  
From Washington

Except for the special case of Nelson Rockefeller, the possible entries in next year's presidential race are running so fast so early that it is hard to believe they can make it across the starting line at the conventions, not to mention the finish line on election day. But why? What's the rush?

The answer, I think, is that the U.S. is entering a time of political uncertainty when almost anything looks possible. The dicey circumstances tempt unknowns who get in early to become known.

The front-runners are so unsure of themselves that even the entry of unknowns starts them sprinting to stay ahead.

The sign of the uncertain times is a change in the basic political profile of the country. Not very long ago the shape of the electorate was as a pyramid. There were a small number of rich people at the top, a larger number of middle income people further down, and at the base an overwhelming mass of people with low incomes.

In this situation, welfare issues exerted a dominant appeal. Except for the largely personal triumph of President Eisenhower, Democratic programs from the New Deal through the Great Society were congenial to most Americans.

Steady prosperity over the last few years has been slowly transforming the pyramid to an ellipse. The great mass of the American voters is a new class, somewhere in the middle of the income scale.

The poor, at the base of the scale, are a distinct minority.

For the new class in the middle, welfare issues have given way to other aspirations — aspirations for improved homes, neighborhoods and schools. These aspirations are in tension with some well-known fears — fears of crime and of a debasement of schools and property values by the lowest income groups, especially Negroes.

It is not yet clear whether any political figure now prominent truly expresses the aspirations and fears of the country's new middle class. My guess is that nobody does — that there is a political void.

But what is clear is that President Johnson has not found his way to the heart of

the new class. He has no natural rapport with the great mass of voters. And the condition of an unsettled electorate groping for leadership has had a striking effect on both parties.

On the Democratic side, Senator Eugene McCarthy of Minnesota and former Governor George Wallace of Alabama have entered the presidential race in large part as magnets for disaffected voters. Except for Senator Robert Kennedy of New York, Senator McCarthy's move would not even raise eyebrows.

But Senator Kennedy senses that sweeping change may be in the wind, that 1968 may be an opportunity for him, and maybe even a last opportunity. Accordingly he has declined to shut the door against Senator McCarthy.

Thus challenged, President Johnson has felt the need to bestir himself. And he, in effect, has been campaigning, and campaigning hard for weeks.

On the Republican side, Governor George Romney of Michigan entered the race early to make himself known as a non-political man of rugged integrity — supposedly the reverse image of the Johnson.

Romney has not lit many fires. But Johnson's vulnerability has stirred intense interest in another non-political figure, Governor Ronald Reagan of California.

With Romney sinking and Reagan rising, the Republican front-runner, Richard Nixon, has been trying to sew the whole thing up early. His burst of speed has even caused some of Nelson Rockefeller's supporters to think about pushing their man forward as a full-fledged candidate.

As to the outcome of this premature scramble, it has to be unclear. For the condition of what is happening, the central condition of American politics, is a widespread preoccupation that something unknown may be in the works.

## Quotable Quote!

The breathalyzer backlash could come in where young men feel it is unsafe to drive home from parties and decide to stay the night.—Dr. Maurice Packer, secretary of the Christian Medical Fellowship.

# Is the Carter Report Fair?

By MARVIN D. LIPTON

Within the next few months, Finance Minister Mitchell Sharp will release a white paper outlining the government's views on the report of the Carter royal commission on taxation.

Since the monumental work was tabled in the Commons last February, scores of briefs condemning and praising the report have poured into Ottawa from industry and individuals.

For four and a half years the Carter commission analyzed the whole Canadian tax structure and then wrote its sweeping recommendations in six volumes. What we shall do now is briefly examine the concepts upon which the report is based and glance at some of the main criticisms that have arisen over Carter's message.

The commission's purpose in writing the report was to promote "equity", or fairness and "neutrality" in our tax structure. Equity is regarded as having two dimensions, a horizontal and a vertical aspect.

According to horizontal equity, people with identical incomes in wealth per year should pay similar amounts of tax.

Carter's concept of vertical equity states that people in different economic strata (with different incomes)

should pay appropriately different amounts of tax.

The reasoning behind these concepts has to do with something called non-discretionary income. A low wage earner has less choice of how he spends his income than a high wage earner.

This is because the poor must pay a greater proportion of their income on necessities (food, rent, clothing, etc.) than the wealthy. Accordingly, it is reasoned, the poor should pay a smaller proportion of

their income in taxes than the rich. These concepts of equity or fairness are also applied to the business world and given the name "neutrality." Roughly, Carter says all businesses earning equal profits should pay equal amounts of tax.

At present there are many instances where Carter's principles of taxation do not apply. Generally speaking, a man earning \$10,000 per year in wages pays income tax on

his entire income, but a man earning \$5,000 in wages and \$5,000 in capital gains (on the stock market, or buying and selling a property, etc.) pays tax only on the first \$5,000.

Hence, people with similar incomes are not taxed equally.

Today, corporations must pay corporation taxes but profit-making businesses which have no charter are exempt from these taxes. Insurance companies, oil companies and mines get

special lower tax rates than other firms. A corporation with \$100,000 profits pays taxes that a private non-chartered company earning \$100,000 profits does not pay. Insurance companies, mines and oil \$100,000 pay less tax than other corporations with equal profits.

In short, the idea of neutrality does not apply in today's business world. Canadian life insurance companies in 1964 paid only

\$2,000,000 in income taxes. Had these companies been taxed in the same way as other businesses, they would have had to pay \$75,000,000. A similar situation existed for oil companies.

Proponents of the Carter report point out that if all companies were taxed according to neutrality, greater tax revenue would be realized and the tax load eased for the ordinary taxpayer.

Others claim that if oil and gas companies were not allowed to deduct costs of exploration and development from their taxes, there would be less initiative for the industries concerned to expand. Everyone would ultimately suffer.

Opponents of capital gains tax state that were such taxes imposed, investments would be discouraged and adversely affected. Advocates of such taxes say it is unfair not to treat capital gains like other income.

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## U.S. Destroyer Annoys Red Captain

MOSCOW (UPI) — The Soviet Union charged Wednesday that American ships had manoeuvred "dangerously" close to a Soviet submarine tender on duty in the Mediterranean.

The official defense ministry newspaper Krasnaya Zvezda (Red Star) said the American destroyer Davis once "tried literally to shoulder aside a submarine" taking supplies from the 4,750-ton "Don" class Soviet submarine tender Mago-met Gadzhiev.

**U.S. COMPLAINTS**

The article by Soviet Navy Captain M. Krenesky made no mention of American complaints against Soviet interference with U.S. fleet movements in the Pacific last year and in the Mediterranean this month.

"The Sixth Fleet air escorts ... appeared over the Gadzhiev almost daily and sometimes two or three times a day, barely missing its masts with their wings," Krasnaya Zvezda said.

"At other times American destroyers manoeuvred danger-

## Car Used To Smash Into Bank

LONDON (Reuters) — Bank robbers used a specially-equipped car to smash through the locked doors of a bank north of London Wednesday and then, with guns blazing, made off with about £8,000 (\$30,500) in cash.

Bank staff members dived for safety when the car, equipped with wooden blocks on the front, broke through.

While some robbers leapt over the car's hood and began firing at random, other gang members rifled money from the till.

Then they ran out, jumped into another car and escaped.

The bank is in Hemel Hempstead, about 20 miles north of here.

## House Fire Kills Three

STONY RAPIDS, Sask. (CP) — Two children and their baby-sitter have been killed in a fire in a home here. RCMP say the dead were identified as Maurice Lawrence Mercredi, 2, his sister Doris Anne, 3, and baby-sitter James Boneleye, 24.



## Star Invention

This artificial ankle joint is designed to stimulate natural movement. The joint, developed by the Atomic Weapons Research Development Establishment in England, incorporates a star-shaped rotor set in a rubber mounting. — (CP)

## KGB Warning Ignored By Red Intellectual

MOSCOW (AP) — The grandson of a former Soviet foreign minister has complained that the secret police called him in and warned him not to send to the West a transcript of a closed Moscow literary trial, it was learned today.

Informed sources said Pavel M. Litvinov, a 30-year-old physics lecturer, made the complaint about the secret police — KGB — in a letter circulated privately here and sent to Soviet and foreign Communist newspapers.

**WENT AHEAD**

Despite the reported KGB threat, Litvinov went ahead and sent trial excerpts to four Soviet papers and Communist papers in France and Italy, the New York Times reported.

The manuscripts were reported to include the final plea of Soviet writer Vladimir I. Bukovsky, 26, who was sentenced to three years in prison Sept. 1 for leading a Moscow demonstration for free speech. Two other defendants got one-year suspended sentences.

Litvinov, grandson of the late Maxima M. Litvinov, who served as Stalin's foreign minister from 1930 to 1939, indicated in the letter that a KGB official failed to convince him that sending information on the

Bukovsky trial would violate any Soviet law.

In his version of the talk he had with the KGB officer, the sources said, Litvinov's arguments that his actions would not be illegal were answered repeatedly with the phrase: "You know what we mean."

The KGB man said publication in the West of excerpts from the closed Bukovsky trial would be used against the Soviet Union by its enemies.

In reply, Litvinov's letter said, he argued that suppression of the trial document would work more harm for the Soviet Union than would his proposed open publication of it.

## DRIVE

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## Cyprus Answer in Three Months

# Pressure for Peace Continues

OTTAWA (CP) — Canada, with other countries concerned, will keep gentle pressure on Cyprus, Greece and Turkey in the next three months to move toward a settlement of the Cyprus problem, informants said Wednesday.

The United Nations Security Council last week approved a resolution to keep the UN force in Cyprus for another three months. Canada contributes about 900 men to this force.

This time, however, three months was set to ensure a Security Council review of the Cyprus situation before next March 26, expiry date of the latest renewal. Canada is a member of the Council.

not threatening to withdraw from the contingent if the Cy- priots make no advance toward a political agreement in the next three months.

But there was a possibility of a tougher Security Council reso- lution in March if no advance was made.

**UN MISSIONS**

Canada has long been concerned that searches for political settlements have not gone hand in hand with UN peace- keeping missions.

Sources said Canadian officials have been in touch with their counterparts in Moscow, Athens and Ankara since last summer concerning possibilities for political settlement. This close consultation would continue in the next three months.

## Danger Lessens For Anne-Marie

ROME (Reuters) — The personal physician to Greek Queen Anne-Marie, who is expecting her third child, said Wednesday her condition is improving after signs she might have a miscarriage.

After visiting the 21-year-old Danish-born queen at the Greek embassy, the physician, Dr. Butifaris Coudifaris, told reporters: "Her condition is better. She is almost in good health."

Tuesday night Dr. Coudifaris said the queen "has shown since Christmas a morning certain signs of danger to her pregnancy."

Greek King Constantine, 27, Queen Anne-Marie and their two children, Princess Alexia, 2, and six-month-old Crown Prince Paul, fled to Rome Dec. 14 after an unsuccessful attempt by the

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## Mudslide Stops Mail Run

Mail train was wrecked and 300 feet of double track ripped out by mud and rock slide early Wednesday on Great Northern Railway main line near Everett, Wash. Rising waters from Sno-

homish River have begun to subside, leaving dead livestock, and broken dykes in their wake. Families were evacuated from Ebey Island and other areas near river were evacuated.—(AP)

## Bases for Defence, Commerce

# Living Under Sea Studied

By MARVIN MILES  
LOS ANGELES (LAT) — Working under navy contract, researchers here are studying ways to house up to 1,000 men on the deep ocean floor to establish advanced undersea warfare systems, claim U.S. territory or assist industrial ventures.

"When the time comes to occupy the depths — perhaps in

sealed-off sea-floor caverns accessible only by submarine — the navy will be ready to plant the flag," one scientist explained.

An early milestone in the navy's deep ocean technology program, the habitat analysis is tied not only to expanding warfare requirements and possible moves for undersea sovereignty. It is related also to future oceanographic, scientific and commercial needs.

**EVALUATION**  
The work is being conducted by North American Rockwell's Ocean Systems Operations, Long Beach, Calif., for the naval facilities engineering command and is basically a study of advanced habitat concepts generated by various navy laboratories.

In addition to evaluating current concepts for usefulness and range of missions, the research will develop data for the design and fabrication of deep ocean structure to house men and equipment to depths of 6,000 feet.

**TRACKING POSTS**  
Undersea warfare systems that might be involved are classified, but deep ocean habitats could serve in many ways — as listening and tracking posts for submarine warning, as undersea control-and-attack centres, as stations for missile launchers and other bottom-based defence lines.

It was pointed out, too, that growing interest in the seas, which cover 72 per cent of the earth, has developed increasing international competition in oceanography that could extend into new geopolitical moves and a race for sovereignty over strategic areas of the ocean floor.

Such sovereignty could be established and maintained only by manned centres in the depths, it was pointed out.

Deep ocean habitats could

also open up the vast commercial potential of the seas, including oil, gas and mineral recovery and provide ideal laboratories for scientific research in many disciplines.

Frank White, ocean systems program manager for North American Rockwell, said the project has been designated SOAMUS for the Study of One-Atmosphere Manned Underwater Structures.

This refers to an undersea living environment of one atmosphere, equivalent to the pressurization that exists on earth at sea level.

Because of the great depths under consideration, for the most part, White explained, the project envisions no individual movement in and out of the ocean floor habitats such as that conducted by aquanauts in the navy's sea lab experiments.

Two types of habitats, in general, will be considered in the project — structures fabricated on land for positioning on the sea floor and those calling for excavation of the ocean bottom to open up natural rock caverns or cut out living areas with mining and tunneling techniques.

White said depths of interest in the study, other than 6,000 feet, include the 600 and 2,000-foot levels, based on mission durations of between 30 days and one year.

Depending on the size of the habitat, he said, personnel would vary from five to 1,000 men to be resupplied by special submersible vehicles.

Small ocean floor stations undoubtedly would be completely constructed on land and then sunk to selected positions on the bottom. Such stations might have a certain degree of mobility.

## No One Knew Bomb Was Dud

PEARL HARBOR (UPI) — The U.S. Navy disclosed Wednesday that the nuclear submarine Guardfish sat above a sand-filled Second World War training bomb more than 24 hours while the vessel was stuck on the reef at Pearl Harbor.

Navy divers moved the bomb before two navy salvage tugs pulled the submarine off the reef Tuesday.

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The navy did not know for sure that the bomb was harmless until after the divers pulled it out. The bomb was in

the path the sub had to take to get off the reef.

The navy said a board of inquiry "may take a week" to determine why the Guardfish ran up on the reef at the harbor entrance Sunday. No one was injured and the vessel was not seriously damaged.

## Quake-Like Explosion Splits Munition Plant

HANOVER, Mass. (UPI) — An explosion erupted with the force of an earthquake Wednesday in a classified section of a munitions plant making anti-personnel mines for combat use in Vietnam.

One worker was killed instantly when he was blown out a door. At least 14 others were injured, one of them critically.

The blast was at the Atlantic

Research Corp. ordnance division where explosives were mixed for the mines.

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Atlantic Research, a subsidiary of Susquehanna Corp. and holder of multi-million dollar government contracts, opened an investigation. Officials refused to comment on the possible cause but workers reported a bottle of explosives

fell from a shelf and went off when it hit the floor.

"I saw men crawling and bleeding," said Brenda Corbett, 18, who was in a building across from Building 85.

"The roof was all blown up and the back of the building was all torn out. The windows were blown out. Clothing was all over the ground — hats, coats and scarves," she said.



Ching

## Dedicated Arbiter Dies, 91

WASHINGTON (AP) — Canadian-born Cyrus S. Ching, 91, a giant in the field of U.S. labor-management mediation, died Wednesday of a heart attack.

The craggy-faced six-foot-seven Ching was 71 when President Harry S. Truman named him to head the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service when it was established as an independent agency in 1947.

Labor Secretary Willard Wirtz, commenting on Ching's death, said he "was a labor statesman in the fullest meaning of those words."

**DEMOCRACY**  
"His was a lifetime dedicated to developing and strengthening a free and democratic industrial society."

William E. Simkin, present head of the service, described Ching as "a trusted friend of leaders on both sides of the bargaining table" whose "wise advice made a continuing contribution to successful collective bargaining."

Ching, a native of Red Point, P.E.I., had a major role in settling some big strikes and averting others in the period after the Second World War as head of the mediation service.

**KOREAN WAR**  
Truman drafted him to head the Wage Stabilization Board during the Korean War and afterward he returned to the mediation service.

In 1953, President Dwight D. Eisenhower appointed Ching chairman of the atomic energy labor-management relations panel. He held that post at the time of his death, continuing active although confined in recent years to a wheelchair because of physical disability.

Before becoming the government's top mediator, Ching had been director of industrial and public relations for the United Rubber Co. for 28 years.

He is survived by his wife, Mildred, and a sister Elsie Kidson of Prince Edward Island. Funeral service will be at Nantuxuck, Conn.

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Labor Scene

# More Talk Than Deed During '67

By GEORGE INGLIS

The year 1967 in Greater Victoria labor circles will go down in history as a year in which much was discussed but little was settled.

Certification disputes, a war brewing against use of court injunctions in labor disputes, disorders in the Lower Mainland's labor house and a tie-up of a number of the B.C. brewers all had their effects on the local labor scene.

Shortly before Christmas, a threatened strike of meatcutters that would have affected about 16 Victoria supermarket outlets was averted by contract settlement. Earlier a bakers' strike with the same implications was settled.

Last summer a threatened strike of wholesale truckers and warehouse clerks at MacDonald's Consolidated in Burnaby and Victoria loomed over the Safeway stores in Victoria.

The Canadian Merchant Service Guild failed in its bid to win certification to represent 250 officers in the B.C. ferries, but managed to be accepted as the officers' bargaining agent in discussions with the ferry authority and the civil service, and win a suitable contract.

The Three Oces' Association struggle against what it called oppression and discrimination in the Canadian Corps of Commissioners' Victoria division continued, with five commissioners being discharged for membership in the association, which is formed from about 150 former and active commissioners.

The association has called on help from the senior governments in airing the conditions in the division, and has received the backing of the Victoria Labor Council.

## City Circles Affected

The successful bid by the Pulp and Paper Workers of Canada for certification at Harmac and Gold River pulp mills were not necessarily local, but their effects were felt here.

The new historical bugging incident involving the international pulp union's organizer E. P. O'Neil, and the subsequent Sargent Royal Commission on invasion of privacy, had an impact on local labor circles.

The alignment of locals of the International Pulp, Paper and Sulphate Union and the International Woodworkers of America, in an attempt to win the Gold River certification, stimulated heated discussions on the local level.

The new Workmen's Compensation Act, framed in the last legislative session and tabled for discussion early in 1968, provided a subject for vigorous debate in labor circles and sparked several briefs and a special session of the B.C. Federation of Labor, to be held Jan. 27 in Victoria.

Victoria's once-vigorous shipbuilding industry, which started out the year in optimism with the world's largest off-shore oil-drilling rig, SEDCO 135-F nearing completion stages in the Victoria Machinery Depot, was struck several lethal blows during the year.

The promise of further oil rig contracts dwindled, major federal government contracts failed to materialize, the provincial government bought a ferry in Quebec instead of building it here, Canadian Coast Guard vessels were cancelled, and the federal government cut shipbuilding subsidies.

## Yard Sale Main Blow

The final blow came, however, when the 107-year-old VMD announced its intention to sell its shipbuilding business and concentrate on its engineering business. By the year end, more than 300 shipbuilders were out of work and the prospects were bleak for 1968.

The labor council in Victoria pledged itself to back the B.C. Federation's fight against injunctions, a fight that will cost an estimated \$28,000 in 1968.

The council, however, refused to back the United Fishermen and Allied Workers Union in its appeal against the jail sentences of two of its officials for contempt of court, for refusing to obey court injunctions. The council's stance was based on the fact the fishermen's union is not in the federation or its parent body, the Canadian Labor Congress.

On the brighter side, the International Longshoremen's union held its first Canadian area convention in Victoria; unorganized workers in many fields were granted minimum wage increases, eight statutory holidays and the 40-hour week.

One of the most noticeable aspects of the contracts under negotiation in 1967 was the shift of emphasis from wages to working hours and fringe benefits — a trend that B.C. labor officials predict will continue in 1968.

Also, in 1968, about 1,500 local government workers will be bargaining for new contracts, with forewarnings of militant bargaining in store for municipalities and school boards.

It could be a year of much peacemaker.



Only one was ordered

# Bonner Expects Free Trade With U.S. in About 15 Years

VANCOUVER (CP)—Attorney-General Robert Bonner believes a free trade area will develop between Canada and the United States, but not for 10 to 15 years.

Mr. Bonner was commenting in an interview Tuesday on Washington statements Sunday by John V. Clynne, chairman of MacMillan Bloedel Ltd.

Mr. Clynne urged complete free trade between the two countries with Britain as a possible third partner.

"There will have to be a drastic 10 to 15-year period of adjustment for heavy industry," Mr. Bonner said, "so it is not likely for a few years yet."

"But Canada has to make up its mind whether it has a continental outlook or is satisfied with a secondary role."

Trade and Commerce Minister Ralph Lottmark said he realized the importance of the U.S. market to British Columbia but was reluctant to advocate a complete free trade area as proposed by Mr. Clynne.

"We are not able to go as far as Mr. Clynne as we have an obligation to maintain a stable labor environment in the province," he said.

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# Carmen Back GM Pact

DETROIT (UPI) — Votes pouring in from United Auto Workers members at General Motors local bargaining units are overwhelmingly in favor of a new three-year national contract between the union and the corporation, the UAW reported Wednesday.

A union spokesman estimated the margin was 5-1 for acceptance of the pact with returns from one-third of the locals counted.

The voting was scheduled to continue through today.

The national contract, agreed to by negotiators on Dec. 15 will increase pay and benefits by \$1.02 per hour by 1970.

General Motors, with the other two large car-makers have reported combined sales of 226,608 cars during the Dec. 11-20, a six-per-cent increase.

Chrysler led with 44,564 sales, Ford Motor Co. was second with 63,425 and GM came last with 934 — however GM Cadillac topped the 200,000 mark for the first time in its 65-year-history.

American Motors Corp. sold 7,229, a 30 per cent increase over sales in the first 10 days of the month.

## Index Down

OTTAWA (CP) — The general wholesale price index edged down to 264.9 in November from 265.1 in October, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reports.



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SINCERE BEST WISHES FOR 1968 TO ONE AND ALL FROM THE STAFF AND MANAGEMENT OF

## SHOP-EASY

<b>Fruit Cocktail</b> MALKIN'S 14-oz. tin 2 FOR 49¢	<b>COFFEE</b> MAXWELL HOUSE Lb. 69¢
<b>Tomato Juice</b> MALKIN'S 48-oz. tin 2 FOR 69¢	<b>Cheese Slices</b> Seven Farms 16-oz. pkg. 69¢
<b>Frozen Peas</b> Garden Gate 2-lb. pkg. 2 FOR 89¢	<b>Cranberry Sauce</b> Ocean Spray Whole or Jellied 2 FOR 35¢
<b>FRESH LARGE Eggs</b> GRADE A Doz. 39¢	<b>SUNNIEST FROZEN Lemonade</b> 6-oz. tin 4 49¢
<b>KRAFT Miracle Whip</b> 16-oz. jar 39¢	<b>ZEE PAPER Napkins</b> White or Colored, 600 2 39¢
<b>Fancy Peas</b> 14-oz. tin 5 1	<b>AYER'S 100s Aspirin</b> TABLETS 65¢
<b>DOT WEST Foil Wrap</b> 18-inch, 25-foot Roll 59¢	<b>LARGE SIZE Alka Seltzer</b> 69¢

# Party Foods

<b>Potato Chips</b> KRISPEE 9-oz. pkg. 49¢	<b>Sweet Mixed Pickles</b> McLAREN'S 32-oz. jar 59¢	<b>Cheddar Cheese</b> CRACKER BARREL, OLD 12-oz. pkg. 69¢
<b>CARNIVAL ICE CREAM</b> 3-plat cin. 59¢	<b>Seven Seas, Salted MIXED NUTS</b> 14-oz. tin 89¢	<b>Dyson's Sweet PICKLED ONIONS</b> 16-oz. jar 59¢
<b>Robinson's Maraschino CHERRIES</b> 6-oz. jar 35¢	<b>Kraft CHIP DIPS</b> 8-oz. cin. 2 for 89¢	<b>Malkin's Loose Pack STUFFED OLIVES</b> 12-oz. jar 59¢
<b>Sea Lord SMOKED OYSTERS</b> 2 1/2 lb. 59¢	<b>Dairyland EGG NOG</b> Quart 63¢	<b>McCormick's Toasted PARTY CRACKERS</b> 12-oz. pkg. 39¢
<b>McLaren's Sweet MIXED PICKLES</b> 24-oz. jar 43¢	<b>Party Tyme COCKTAIL MIXES</b> 25-oz. btl. 99¢	<b>Weston's WHEAT-O-SNACKS</b> 8-oz. pkg. 39¢
	<b>Kellogg's POKES</b> 4 1/2 oz. 2 for 89¢	
	<b>Shasta SOFT DRINKS</b> 28-oz. btl. 5 for 95¢	

## FULLY COOKED

<b>HAMS</b> WHOLE OR SHANK PORTION lb. 55¢	<b>BUTT PORTION</b> lb. 59¢
GOVERNMENT INSPECTED	
<b>Turkeys</b> TOMS, 20 LBS. UP, GRADE A lb. 45¢	<b>Hen Turkeys</b> 6-16 LBS. GRADE A lb. 49¢
• CANADA CHOICE, CANADA GOOD BEEF •	
<b>Round Steak Roast</b> BONELESS TOP, LB. 95¢	<b>Sirloin Tip Roast</b> LB. 99¢

## GRAPES

RED EMPEROR  
 2 lbs. 35¢

## CELERY

CRISP IMPORTED lb. 14¢

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IMPORTED, 14-OZ. TUBE

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Giant of rails is Westinghouse Electric Corp.'s generator transporter, 159-feet long with a load capacity of 1,046,000 pounds. Cylindrical generator is mounted between two hydraulic units. Car has built-in "wiggle" allowing centre section to move up or sideways to avoid track obstacles.—(AP)

### Pearson Outlines Proposal

## Federal Loan Insurance Plan To Ease Tariff-Cut Switch

OTTAWA (CP) — The federal government will offer loan insurance as the main element of a three-point assistance program to manufacturers affected by Kennedy Round tariff cuts, Prime Minister Pearson announced Wednesday.

He said in a statement the government will not shoulder the main burden for the expansion and adjustment of Canadian plants.

This will be left to private resources, with carefully-regulated government help to mobilize the resources.

#### MAJOR SHARE

Ottawa will insure the "major share" of risk in loans by banks and other institutions to firms seriously injured or threatened with injury by loss of tariff protection.

A second element of the assistance program will be direct loans—limited to \$10,000,000 next year—to firms which cannot borrow privately.

The third element will be help to small and medium-sized firms in drawing up plans to adjust their operations to increased competition and export opportunities.

#### MANUFACTURERS HIT

Manufacturers are expected to bear the brunt of adjustment after Canada begins lowering tariffs Jan. 1, 1968, as a member of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade.

Over the next four years tariffs on \$2,500,000,000 in imports will be reduced. Canada's rates of duty on final manufactures will generally be from 17½ to 20 per cent, compared with 22½ to 25 per cent at present.

The statement said a watch will be kept on impact of Kennedy Round changes on primary producers and other sectors of the economy, and no special assistance is being offered during the first phase of the Kennedy agreements.

#### SOME LAYOFFS

Mr. Pearson also forecast a "few cases" of layoffs caused by companies reorganizing their operations. The usual retraining, placement and mobility assistance would be available, and the statement announced that unemployment insurance benefits will be increased later in the current session of Parliament.

The Kennedy Round changes will affect \$3,000,000,000 in Canadian exports, bringing the average level of tariffs for manufactured goods to less than 10 per cent in Canada's major markets.

#### 'CHALLENGE'

In the three-year negotiations completed last spring Canada retained a comparatively high tariff wall, but one that may be breached by efficient foreign manufacturers.

The prime minister's statement said some firms will have to reorganize and re-equip just to survive. Even where sale

# It's Just Talk, Talk, Talk, Talk

MONTREAL (CP) — For the 16th consecutive year Canadians have won the title as the world's talkingest telephone users.

Statistics compiled by the American Telephone and Telegraph Co. for 1966 show that Canadians averaged 664 conversations a person, an increase of 29 over 1965. It was more than double the increase reported over 1964.

Canadians also stretched their lead over second-place United States where the 1966 average was 648 calls a person, up 28 over the previous year.

The U.S., however, continued

to lead in having the most telephone service in the Pacific, established its own telephone system in 1966—with 15 phones to serve its 98 inhabitants.

The statistics show that in 1966 there were 6.2 telephones for every 100 people on earth. Total telephones amounted to 208,500,000, a gain of 6.9 per cent in a year and twice the number in service 11 years ago.

Leading Canadian cities, in terms of number of phones for each 100 persons, were: Toronto 56.2; Vancouver 54.7; Edmonton 52.6; Victoria 52.0; Calgary 51.8; London 50.0; Kitchener 49.5.

### B.C. Rings Busy Number

VANCOUVER (CP) — The B.C. Telephone Co. reported Wednesday it handled 251,282 long distance telephone calls on Christmas Day compared to last year's total of 238,289. The company said the number was about equally divided between persons who used the 1,800 operators on duty throughout the province and callers who used direct distance dialling.

## Ottawa May Insist On Finance Details

TORONTO (CP) — The Telegram now are not required to file details of their financial operations.

The Telegram quotes a cabinet source as saying a special task force of university economists, appointed by the government a year ago to study foreign investment in Canada, has taken a strong stand in favor of requiring financial disclosure by foreign-owned subsidiaries.

It says the source was confident the government will amend the Canada Corporations Act to put the recommendation into law.

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White Table Wine • Still Rosé  
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COAST TO COAST

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#### Fine China Stemware

Sherbet size attractive stemware made of fine china. Definitely needed over the Holidays. Each **.56**

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#### Cake or Sandwich Platter

Bright and colourful, hand painted serving plates with your choice of fruit or floral design. Reg. 6.99 **5.99**

Housewares

#### Bar Accessories

Set includes: Opener, blender, spoon and fork. Polished chrome plated. Ideal for professional or home use. Each **.88**

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Combination bottle and can opener with cork screw. Solid chrome plated. **.97** and **1.28**

Housewares

#### Party Picks

Novelty design packed 12 per package. Terrific novelty item and conversation piece **.93**

Housewares

#### Bulk Mixed Nuts

Mix includes cashews, filberts, brazils, almonds, pecans and jumbo peanuts. Per pound **.98**

Carry Out Foods

#### Filings

Snacks shaped like little tubes, curls and shells. Zesty flavours of corn, cheddar, onion, garlic and Swiss cheese **.38**

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**8 NEW 1967 — 14 NEW 1968 DEMONSTRATORS**

ALL WITH 5-YEAR, 50,000-MILE WARRANTY

**Rambler 440 4-Door—**  
Licence No. 62737

V8 Motor, red and white, 3200 miles. Automatic transmission, power steering, reclining seats, radio, plus other extras. Was \$3635.75. **\$3125**

SAVE \$510.75. NOW

**Rambler Classic 500 4-Door**

155 H.P. 6-cylinder motor, standard transmission, custom wheel light group, undercoating, brand new. Color stallion brown. Was \$3071.20. **\$2566**

SAVE \$505.00. NOW

**Rambler Rebel Convertible**

200 H.P. V8 motor, floor shift, automatic transmission, reclining bucket seats with headrests, power steering and brakes, Solex windshield, sports steering wheel, wire wheels. Light group, radio. Was \$4654.80. **\$3785**

SAVE \$869.55. NOW

**Rambler Classic 770 4-Door**

Red and white. Licence No. 2459. 155 H.P. motor 6-cylinder power, automatic transmission, individual reclining seats, radio, wheel discs, light group, whitewall tires. Was \$3664.65. **\$3069**

SAVE \$595. NOW

**Rambler Classic 770 4-Door**

155 H.P. motor, 6-cylinder power, automatic transmission, wheel discs, light group, whitewall tires. Color sungold and white. Licence No. 34548. Was \$3573.20. **\$2983**

SAVE \$590.00. NOW

**Rambler Classic 550 4-Door**

155 H.P. motor, 6-cylinder power, automatic transmission, individual reclining seats, custom wheel, wheel discs, light group, whitewall tires, radio. Color Yuma tan. Licence No. 62245. Was \$3482. **\$2882**

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**Javelin SST—By American Motors**

First Javelin demonstrator ever offered for sale in Victoria. 343 cubic inch V8 power plant, shift command automatic transmission, power steering and brakes, radio, light group. Licence No. 649034, color laurel green. Was \$4319.45. **\$3711**

SAVE \$608. NOW

**Rambler Classic 550 4-Door**

V8 motor, automatic transmission, custom wheel, wheel discs, light group, radio, electric wipers, undercoating. Color sungold. BRAND NEW. **\$2963**

Was \$3665.20. SAVE \$702.10. NOW

**Rambler Ambassador 2-Door Sedan**

155 H.P. motor, automatic transmission, individual seats, wheel discs, light group, undercoating, whitewall tires, radio. Color royal blue. Was \$3724.10. **\$3049**

SAVE \$675. NOW

**Rambler Rebel 1968 550 2-Door**

Hardtop 155 H.P. motor, individual reclining seats, automatic transmission, wheel discs, light group, radio, whitewall tires. Licence No. 650342. Was \$3733.30. **\$3274**

SAVE \$459.30. NOW

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# Two For A Price!

## White Goods-Bedding Sale!



**NOTICE**  
Woolco  
Closes  
Saturday,  
Dec. 30,  
at 6 p.m.

**"Chinook" Flannelette Blankets**  
Approximately 70"x90", mothproof and washable.  
**SALE PRICED AT JUST**  
**4.86 pair or 2 pairs 7.94**



**Monofoam Bed Pillows**  
Filled with fine shredded polyurethane foam. Resilient, mothproof and non-allergenic. **2 for 3.47**

**Chicken and Goose Feather Pillows**  
Luxuriously and gently comfortable. Linen finished ticking with corded edge.  
**2.37 each 2 for 3.97**

**Chipped Foam Pillows**  
Flaked foam pillows that are cool, buoyant and non-allergenic.  
**1.27 each 2 for 1.94**

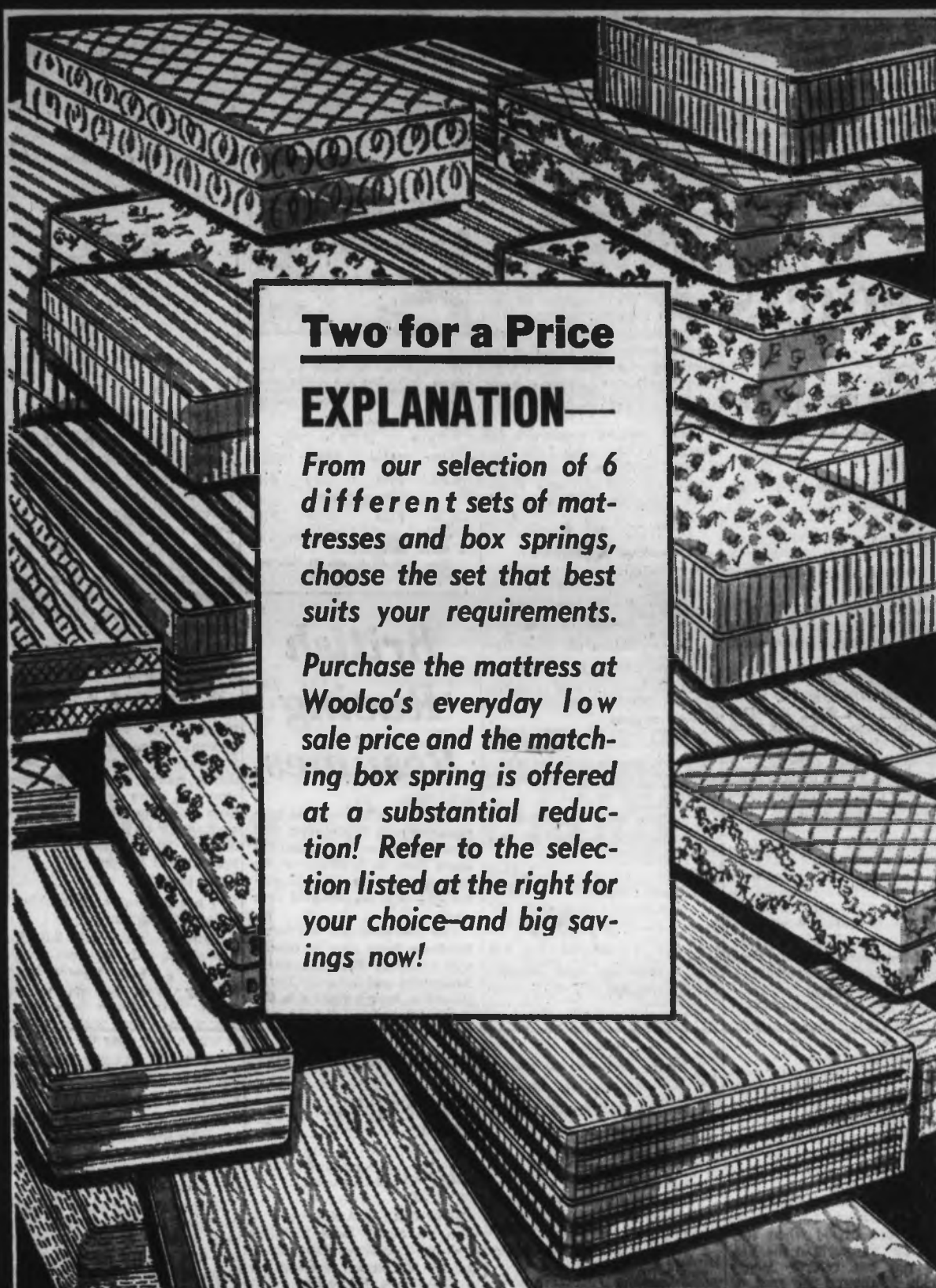
**Corduroy Pillow Covers**  
For lounge or bed pillows. Zippered enclosure. Available in colours of gold, orange, red, green or turquoise.  
**.96 each 2 for 1.54**



**"Wabasso" Woolco Pillow Slips**  
Economy quality slips with 3" hems. Approximately 119 threads per square inch. 42"x33". Pair **1.58**

**"Wabasso" Woolco Sheets**  
Economy quality with 3" top and 1" bottom hems. Approximately 119 threads per square inch.  
72"x100" **3.31** 81"x100" **3.41**

**"Wabasso" Woolco Fitted Sheets**  
With "Mattress Form" sides and corners. Sanforized.  
Twin-bed size **3.38** Double-bed size **3.61**

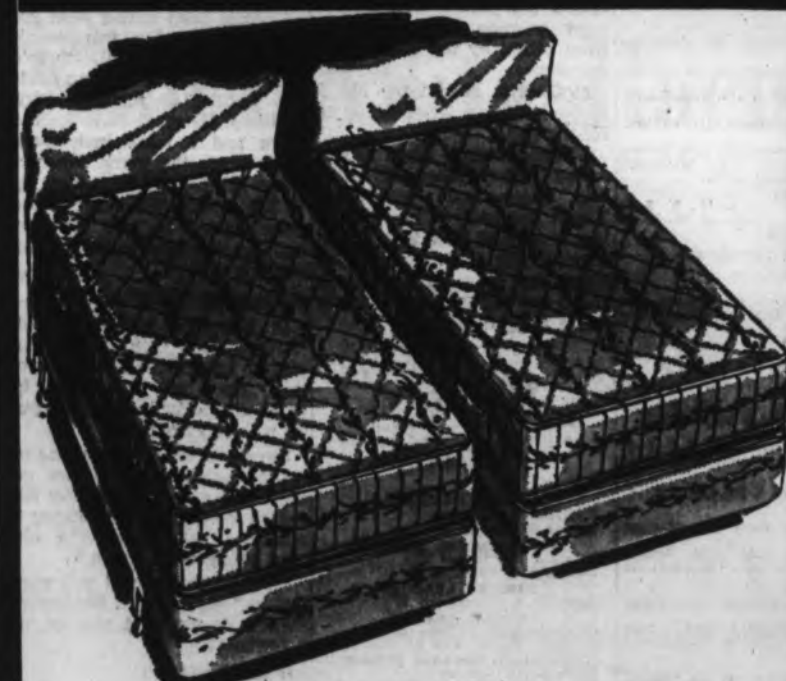


### Two for a Price

#### EXPLANATION—

From our selection of 6 different sets of mattresses and box springs, choose the set that best suits your requirements.

Purchase the mattress at Woolco's everyday low sale price and the matching box spring is offered at a substantial reduction! Refer to the selection listed at the right for your choice—and big savings now!



### 39" Twin-Size Ensemble The "Ortho-Quilt"

See what you get! Custom-built, upholstered headboard; superb quilt-top, firm mattress; heavy-duty coil box spring. Set of legs and steel brackets.

Woolco's everyday low sale price **89<sup>88</sup>** Buy Second One **69<sup>88</sup>** Save \$20.00



### Roll-A-Way Beds

Four styles and prices to choose from! All our roll-a-way cots have strong steel frames with baked-on aluminum finish. These frames fold out to make a bed or close up completely, so easily, so quickly! Comfortable mattresses—choose the one that fits your requirements and save.

Our No. 1—Approx. 26" wide. Reg. **21.86**  
Buy the second one—**18.44**  
2 For A Price. Each **18.44**  
Our No. 18RE—Approx. 26" wide. Reg. **22.97**  
Buy the second one—**19.44**  
2 For A Price. Each **19.44**

Our No. 64—Approx. 26" wide. Reg. **27.86**  
Buy the second one—**23.44**  
2 For A Price. Each **23.44**  
Our No. 18S/SFRE—Approx. 30" wide. Reg. **29.77**  
Buy the second one—**24.44**  
2 For A Price. Each **24.44**

#### Ortho-Rest 39" Ensemble

Orthopedically - constructed. Smooth-top, button-free top. This ensemble includes headboard, mattress, box spring, legs and brackets.

Woolco's Everyday Low Sale Price **69<sup>88</sup>**  
Buy Second One **49<sup>88</sup>** Save \$20.00

#### Bunk Beds

39" Size—Candlelight Finish. When it comes to design, finish, quality and price, you'll find all our Artistic Bunk Beds are superb! No expense has been spared—to make them not only competitive, but beyond comparison. 2 For A Price Special!  
(We're making 2 twin-size beds out of one bunk and pricing each bed—this way you are not required to purchase two complete bunks.)  
Woolco Everyday Sale Price, each bed **49.43**  
Buy Both Beds (Makes a Complete Bunk). 2 For A Price Special, each bed **43.33**

**1. The "Ortho-Bracer"**  
Smooth top, hundreds of coils. Beautiful gold ticking, just too pretty to hide!  
Mattress—**39.88**  
Woolco Everyday Low Sale Price **39.88**  
Matching Box Spring—with Mattress Purchase. SALE **19.88**

**2. The "Posture Firm"**  
Diamond-quilted, scientifically constructed for that "Posture Firm" support. Big value here!  
Mattress—**49.88**  
Everyday Low Sale Price **49.88**  
Matching Box Spring—with Mattress Purchase. SALE **29.88**

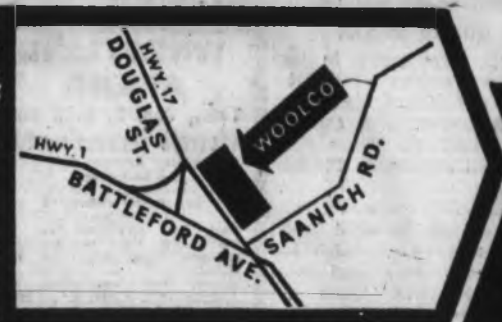
**3. The "Tru Quilt"**  
De luxe "Coil-on-Coil", imported Belgian damask ticking—you get so much more for so little!  
Mattress—**56.88**  
Everyday Low Sale Price **56.88**  
Matching Box Spring—with Mattress Purchase. SALE **36.88**

**4. The "Le Marquis"**  
Multi-needle quilted with 1/4" foam topping "Coil-on-Coil" construction. This one spells L-U-X-U-R-Y.  
Mattress—**69.88**  
Everyday Low Sale Price **69.88**  
Matching Box Spring—with Mattress Purchase. SALE **44.88**

**5. The "Visionaire"**  
657 coils in this set! Imported ticking that looks like a de luxe bedspread! Top quality.  
Mattress—**76.88**  
Everyday Low Sale Price **76.88**  
Matching Box Spring—with Mattress Purchase. SALE **52.88**

**6. The "9 Channel"**  
Exclusive! Nine sections joined together to eliminate any "hammock" effect. Designed for those who need a firm mattress.  
Mattress—**79.88**  
Everyday Low Sale Price **79.88**  
Matching Box Spring—with Mattress Purchase. SALE **52.88**

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# Black Hawks Find Out Bruins Are for Real

Boston Bruins last night appeared to provide a convincing answer for the National Hockey League question of the season.

They are for real.

Although they did not better than 2-4 during the stretch in which Bobby Orr recuperated

EASTERN DIVISION										
Team	GP	W	L	T	F	A	Pts	Goal Diff	Goal Avg	Points Avg
Boston	35	19	9	4	119	88	42	+31	3.40	1.20
Chicago	35	17	16	2	104	104	36	0	3.00	1.14
Toronto	35	16	11	8	96	73	35	+23	2.74	1.17
New York	35	16	12	7	98	88	35	+10	2.80	1.14
Detroit	35	13	15	7	91	97	33	-6	2.60	1.09
Montreal	35	12	14	9	88	92	33	-4	2.57	1.09

Next games: Today — Minnesota at Montreal; Philadelphia at Detroit.

from a broken collarbone and were caught by Chicago Black Hawks, the Bruins are flying again and scoring goals at a pace unmatched by any NHL team.

Last night, with their big line of Fred Stanfield-John Bucyk-John McKenzie managing only one assist, the Bruins put an end to an unbeaten streak which had reached 10 games by walloping the Hawks, 7-2 before 13,908 ecstatic Boston fans.

## ROOKIE IN GOAL

It was the third straight win for the Bruins, a streak in which they had to go with rookie Andre Gill in goal following injuries to Ed Johnston and Gerry Cheevers, and it pulled them even with the Hawks in the Eastern Division with three games in hand.

Bruins, recently led by the Tom Williams-Phil Esposito-Ken Hodge line, have scored 17 goals in the three games while allowing five.

Esposito, who came from the Hawks along with Hodge in a pre-season trade, led the way last night with three goals and an assist. Hodge had two assists and Williams a goal and two assists as the Bruins opened up a 4-1 lead in the first period and took a 7-1 lead into the final 20 minutes.

## SHACK SCORES TWO

Eddie Shack, another newcomer this season, scored his 10th and 11th goals 78 seconds apart in the second period, Orr contributed two assists and the other Boston goal went to Ed Westfall.

Doug Mohns opened the scoring for the Hawks and Stan Mikita, extending his streak of one or more points to 16 games, completed the scoring in the ninth minute of the third period.

Both Chicago goals came on power plays.

Toronto Maple Leafs moved within four points of the lead by

playing to a 2-2 tie with Montreal Canadiens in a wide-open, entertaining game in Toronto.

Despite the wide-open action, it took more than 44 minutes before a goal was scored. Toronto-veteran Johnny Bower and Montreal's Gump Worsley escaped time and again, either through brilliant puck-blocking or close to unbelievable luck, before defensive lapses allowed the Leafs to take a 2-0 lead.

George Armstrong, who scored only nine goals last season, got his 10th this season on a quick shot after the puck was passed out from behind the Montreal goal. Then Pete Stenkowski, getting the puck from Terry Harper at the Montreal blue-line beat Worsley with a scizzling shot which found a small opening between the upright and Worsley's pads.

Apparently beaten, Canadiens came back to get a point when rookie Danny Grant and Jean

Beliveau scored 91 seconds apart in the final four minutes. Grant got his goal by coming up fast to fire in the rebound off a shot taken by Bobby Rousseau and Beliveau chipped in a pass from Claude Provost when he was left unmarked in front of Bower.

Canadiens started the game without Ralph Backstrom and Yvan Cournoyer, both injured, and lost Henri Richard near the end of the first period. Richard received a knee injury when he was checked by Tim Horton. Extent of the injury was not immediately known but the speedy veteran was unable to get back into the game.

## SNAP GOAL FAMINE

Minnesota North Stars finally ended their scoring famine in New York, rapping in three goals in three minutes and 26 seconds during the third period in New York to gain a 3-3 tie with the Rangers.

Ray Cullen was the architect

of the sudden rally, scoring the first and third goals and setting up Parker MacDonald for the second. Cullen's first goal ended a scoreless Minnesota streak at 229 minutes and 49 seconds.

The sudden onslaught almost beat the Rangers, who had taken a 2-0 first-period lead on goals by Rod Gilbert and Reg Fleming. Gilbert then tied it with 72 seconds left with his 11th goal of the season and his sixth in the last five games.

## SCORELESS TIE

In Pittsburgh, where 6,039 fans watched, the Penguins and Oakland Seals played the first scoreless tie of the season. It was the third shutout of the season for Pittsburgh's starry Les Binkley and the first for Oakland-rouster Gary Smith, who played brilliantly in handling 34 shots without a miss.

The point moved Penguins within four points of the lead, shared by Los Angeles Kings and Philadelphia Flyers.

Kings missed a chance to go ahead in last night's fifth game, losing 2-4, in St. Louis to the Blues, who are now within four points of fourth place in the Western Division.

Bob Sabourin scored in the second period and again in the third period to give Blues a 2-1 lead after Kings had gone ahead on a first-period scoring shot by Terry Gray.

Gerry Melnyk increased the margin to 3-1 and Don McKenzie shot the clincher after Ed Joyal had brought Kings back within one goal.

## CHICAGO 3, BOSTON 1

FIRST PERIOD  
1. Chicago, Molins (14) (Wharran, Plante) 2:52.  
2. Esposito (13) (McKenzie, Williams) 8:30.  
3. Boston, Westfall (7) (Sandercock, Avery) 14:33.  
4. Boston, Williams (12) (Hodge, Esposito) 16:23.

SECOND PERIOD  
1. Boston, Esposito (14) (Orr) 16:38.  
2. Boston, Williams (13) (14:40; Marvite (C) 7:50; McKenzie (B) 12:44; Molins (C) 15:04; Donk (B) 15:14.  
3. Chicago, Mikita (22) (Plota, W. Maki (C) 13:14; Esposito (12) 15:30.

THIRD PERIOD  
1. Boston, Shack (10) (Green) 10:58.  
2. Boston, Shack (Orr, Sandercock) 16:31.  
3. Boston, Esposito (14) (Orr) 16:38.  
4. Boston, Williams (13) (14:40; Marvite (C) 7:50; McKenzie (B) 12:44; Molins (C) 15:04; Donk (B) 15:14.

SHOTS ON GOAL: Boston 10-22; Chicago 11-22.  
Attendance: 13,908.

MONTREAL 2, TORONTO 3  
FIRST PERIOD  
1. Montreal, Stenkowski (7) 3:34.  
2. Grant (M) 8:14; Harper (M) 12:56; Yablonski (M) 15:14; Stenkowski (7) 15:47.

SECOND PERIOD  
1. Toronto, Ferguson (M), Horton (7) 5:57; Ferguson (M) 16:37.  
THIRD PERIOD  
1. Toronto, Armstrong (10) (Kern, Mahovlich) 4:05.  
2. Montreal, Stenkowski (4) (Pappalardo) 11:28.  
3. Montreal, Grant (2) (Rousseau, Harris) 16:13.  
4. Montreal, Beliveau (12) (Provost) 16:31.  
5. Toronto, Harper (M), Mahovlich (7) 8:28.  
Shots on goal by: Montreal 12-14-34; Toronto 13-12-6-31.  
Attendance: 16,091.

MINNESOTA 3, NEW YORK 3  
FIRST PERIOD  
1. Minnesota, Ratella (9) (Gilbert, Jeffrey) 1:28.  
2. New York, Fleming (9) (Sawyer, Marshall) 7:38.  
3. Minnesota, Ratella (9) 8:35.  
SECOND PERIOD  
1. New York, Nevins (NY) 7:57; MacDonald (M), Howell (NY) 14:34; Jeffrey (NY) 15:47.  
THIRD PERIOD  
1. Minnesota, Cullen (9) (Boudrias, Boudrias) 6:13.  
2. Minnesota, Cullen (10) (MacDonald, MacDonald) 8:07.  
3. New York, Gilbert (11) (Nelson, Mahovlich) 15:48.  
4. Minnesota, Woytowich (M) 2:05; Nelson (NY) 7:45; Fleming (NY), Woytowich (M) (minors, majors) 16:15.  
Shots on goal by: Minnesota 14-9-3-2; New York 10-15-10-15-0.  
Attendance: 18,523.

OAKLAND 6, PITTSBURGH 6  
FIRST PERIOD  
1. Oakland, Baum (1) 1:59; Bolvin 7:08.  
2. Oakland, Bolvin (1) 16:31; MacDonald (P) 16:31; Bolvin (1) 16:31.  
SECOND PERIOD  
1. Oakland, Laughton (1) 7:15.  
2. Pittsburgh, Laughton (1) 7:15.  
THIRD PERIOD  
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SEATTLE (AP)—Larry Lund scored with just 57 seconds gone in the overtime period to give Seattle Totems a 1-0 Western Hockey League victory over San Diego Gulls Wednesday night.

The win broke a Seattle-Portland tie for first place and gave the Totems a two-point breathing space.

Lund took a precision pass from defenseman Ray Larose, broke down the middle and shot

# Ouija Predicts Cougar Surge

By KEVAN HULL

Victoria coach Doug Anderson still doesn't really believe it.

He does hope, however, that Ouija-Board predictions come true following Cougars' 4-3 victory over New Westminster Royals in B.C. Junior Hockey League play Wednesday at Memorial Arena before 1,502 fans.

Anderson's daughter Debra was given a Ouija-Board for Christmas.

She tried it for answers about the Cougars on Tuesday and

was informed that the Cougars would score four goals last night and win the game.

"I still don't believe it," Anderson said, but he's hoping that the thing really works because a second-place finish for the Cougars was also predicted. And that would almost have to be magical.

Victory lifted the Cougars to within seven points of Royals, who currently hold down the fourth playoff spot, four points

behind the second-place Kamloops Rockets.

Cougars have 17 games left, including a three-game in-three-days road trip to the interior this weekend, while Royals have 19 games left.

McIVOR GETS WINNER  
Burly defenseman Al McIvor made the first prediction come true.

Off to a slow start this season, the Nanaimo product made up for some early mistakes when he made a brilliant rush to score the winning goal at 17:15 of the third period.

McIvor got the puck at his own blue line, broke past three defenders and crashed into Royal's goalkeeper Al Lang, sliding the puck into the net.

It was a well-earned win for the Cougars, who showed a spirit that had been lacking for some time. They refused to fold after Royals overcame an early 2-0 lead to go ahead, 3-2, at the end of the first period and their determination was rewarded.

ROYALS EARLY LEAD  
Terry Mitchell sparked Cougars in the early minutes, scoring the first goal and then setting up Greg Gow at 2:26.

Royals came back with goals by George Watson, an outstanding performer throughout, Bruce McGill and Barry Wilcox.

McIvor's defence partner Greg Evans tied the game with a shot from the point at 7:59 of the second period.

New Westminster appeared to have gone ahead, 4-3, at 14:20 of the third period when Ray Wallis put the puck in the Victoria net but referee Henry Hinkle disallowed the goal as Wilcox was standing in the crease.

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day in a skiing accident at Lake Tahoe, Nev.







## Garrison Probe

JFK Suspect  
Denies  
Plot Charges

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Edgar Eugene Bradley surrendered Wednesday on a fugitive warrant, denying strongly New Orleans charges that he conspired to kill President John F. Kennedy.

"I know I'm not guilty of any crime," Bradley said after his arraignment.

**"NOT GUILTY"**  
"God knows I'm not guilty. That's the important thing."

Municipal Judge David J. Aisensohn ordered Bradley released on his own recognizance and granted a 30-day continuance during which Louisiana could initiate the extradition that Bradley's lawyer says he will fight.

Bradley, 49, of North Hollywood, is charged by New Orleans District Attorney James Garrison in connection with what Garrison has called a right-wing plot to assassinate Kennedy.

## NO KNOWLEDGE

He has denied any prior knowledge that Kennedy would be killed, saying he was on a bus from Oklahoma to El Paso, Tex., when the assassination occurred.

Bradley told reporters he first learned of Garrison's accusation when his 19-year-old son received a phone call from a newspaper reporter. He said he thought it was a crank call but later learned he had been charged in connection with the assassination.

## LAWYER'S PLEDGE

Accompanied by his lawyer, George Jensen, Bradley surrendered at the office of Los Angeles County Sheriff Peter Pitchess on a fugitive warrant obtained by Garrison in New Orleans.

"I will fight extradition tooth and nail," Jensen said. "I will not let him go to Louisiana."

The final decision on whether Bradley will be extradited lies with California Governor Ronald Reagan.

**HOOVER SUPPORT**  
Bradley is West Coast representative of Dr. Carl McIntire of Collingswood, N.J., president of the American Council of Churches and an evangelistic radio broadcaster from New Jersey.

Garrison has said Bradley worked in 1964 in a movement to get presidential support in California for FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover.

Bradley said Wednesday he did participate in such a movement but dropped it after receiving little public support.

Bradley is the second man charged by Garrison with conspiracy in the 1963 assassination of Kennedy in Dallas, Tex.

**CONSPIRACY CHARGES**  
New Orleans businessman Clay Shaw is under indictment on charges of conspiracy to commit murder.

Bradley's lawyer suggested Wednesday Garrison may have made the charges against Bradley "in order to be able to continue the Shaw case."

He predicted Garrison will ask for a continuance of Shaw's trial.

**NOT CONCERNED**  
Bradley said he is not concerned about the possibility of being convicted.

"I think the people who should be concerned at this point are those who may have committed perjury or those who have apparently conspired to frame me."

36th Body  
Found  
In River

POINT PLEASANT, W. Va. (UPI)—The body of a young woman was recovered from the Ohio River Wednesday, raising to 36 the toll of known dead in the collapse of the Silver Bridge Dec. 15.

The latest victim was Mrs. Gienna Mae Taylor, 23, Point Pleasant. Her body was recovered by a small boat using a grappling hook.

State police said 13 persons still were missing.

4,580 Laid Off  
In CPR Shops

MONTREAL (CP)—A spokesman for the Canadian Pacific Railway says 4,580 men have been laid off for four days in railway repair and maintenance shops in Montreal, Winnipeg and Calgary.

The closures were said to be due to a continuing decline in freight traffic.



## Sink Stopper

Driverless car in Omaha, Neb., crashed through kitchen wall of house, came to rest atop sink. Mrs. Wesley Koch Jr., 24, working at sink, suffered only small cut. Herbert Schwartz, 55, said he left car with motor running to raise garage doors. Vehicle took off for about 350 feet, smashing several fences on its way.—(AP)

Cain-Abel Murder Case  
Real Puzzle for Police

EL CENTRO, Calif. (UPI)—A Cain-Abel slaying with mercenary overtones posed a mystery Wednesday for law enforcement officers in two widely-separated California counties.

The body of pharmacist Gordon Shepherd, 34, Baldwin Park, in Los Angeles country, was found swaddled in bloody bedding in the back seat of a car driven by his brother Daniel, 4, when it was stopped at a roadblock in Westmorland in Imperial County near here.

## SLEEPING DRUG

Daniel collapsed and was taken to Imperial County Hospital here, where attendants reported he had gulped a massive dose of tural, a sleep-inducing drug.

Authorities said Daniel was expected to remain unconscious for 36 hours.

Later in the day, the still unconscious Shepherd was flown

to El Monte airport and then was taken by ambulance to the prison ward of Los Angeles County General Hospital where he was brooked on suspicion of murder.

Authorities said Daniel had been a mental patient in Camarillo State Hospital in California from 1963 to 1964.

Gordon's head had been hacked, apparently with an axe, as he lay in the car trunk, during a violent quarrel in the brothers' Baldwin Park home.

## REPORTED MISSING

The brothers were reported missing earlier in the day by their father, Ernest, also a pharmacist, when he went to their small, two-bedroom cottage at the rear of the family home to awaken Gordon for work.

Baldwin Park police Lt. Truman Harte said a trail of blood

and drag marks led to where Daniel usually parked his car.

An all-points bulletin was broadcast by police for the car.

## Names in the News

Bushland Killing Suspects  
Remanded for Psychiatry

NORTH VANCOUVER — Two 17-year-old Vancouver boys charged with non-capital murder have been remanded in juvenile court to Jan. 24 pending completion of psychiatric examinations. The two are charged with the stabbing death last week of Rose Vollet, 41, of North Vancouver. Her body was found in bushland 30 miles north of Vancouver last Friday.

WASHINGTON — Betty Furness, special adviser on consumer affairs to President Johnson, has urged that manufacturers tell purchasers exactly how long a product can be expected to last. "Why shouldn't the housewife know that there are X number hours of service in her washing machine or that the life expectancy of a toaster falls short of a golden wedding anniversary?" Miss Furness said.

SACRAMENTO, Calif. — Entry of former Alabama Gov. George Wallace into California's June 4 presidential primary seems assured after officials predicted his American Independent Party would qualify.

LONDON — Prince Philip has had a cyst removed from his right wrist in an operation at King Edward VII Hospital for officers. The 46-year-old prince is expected to remain in hospital two or three days.

NORTH VANCOUVER — Thomas Yen, 53, a partner in Lions Gate Market, was robbed of \$5,000 cash by two armed men who picked him up while he was en route to make a bank deposit. The men released him in Stanley Park unharmed.

OTTAWA — Prime Minister Pearson leaves today for a vacation in Florida and plans an overnight stay in Washington. His office said he and Mrs.



Wallace



Furness

Pearson will spend 10 days in Florida at a friend's private home.

CAPE TOWN — Mrs. Phillip Flavin won the Nobel award in 1943 for his novel African dentist who is scheduled Journey in The Dark.

to have a heart transplant operation in January, said "As far as we are concerned the sooner it is done the better."

COTONOU — Paul-Emile Cardinal Leger, former archbishop of Montreal, has left for Yaounde, capital of Cameroon, after an eight-day visit to Dahomey. The cardinal, who abandoned his archbishopric to come to Africa to work among lepers, is on a tour of African states.

RAYLEIGH, England — More than 400 persons have offered to adopt Nicholas, the abandoned Christmas baby, police said.

CARMEL, Calif. — Martin Flavin, a Nobel Prize winning novelist, has died aged 84.

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## \$100,000 Gift

Gorge Wing  
Top Choice

The \$100,000 gift of a Victoria woman may be used to build a new wing on Gorge Road Hospital, the Cosmopolitan Club's regional governor said Wednesday.

"We have had knowledge the gift was to be made," said the club's regional governor, Arthur Hillsden, "and have been working for a year on plans to use the money to best advantage."

Mr. Hillsden said the club seriously contemplated using the money, donated by Mrs. Elise Fielding for the treatment of victims of multiple sclerosis, to add a wing to the Gorge Road Hospital.

"Mrs. Fielding was a patient there, and so was I," Mr. Hillsden said, "and the treatment there is wonderful."

He said club members felt the gift would serve to best advantage there, since the hospital has therapists, administrators and other staff, and is well established.

"We had thought about the possibility of buying a private hospital—there are plenty of them for sale—but that would run about \$750,000 and probably be more than we could handle."

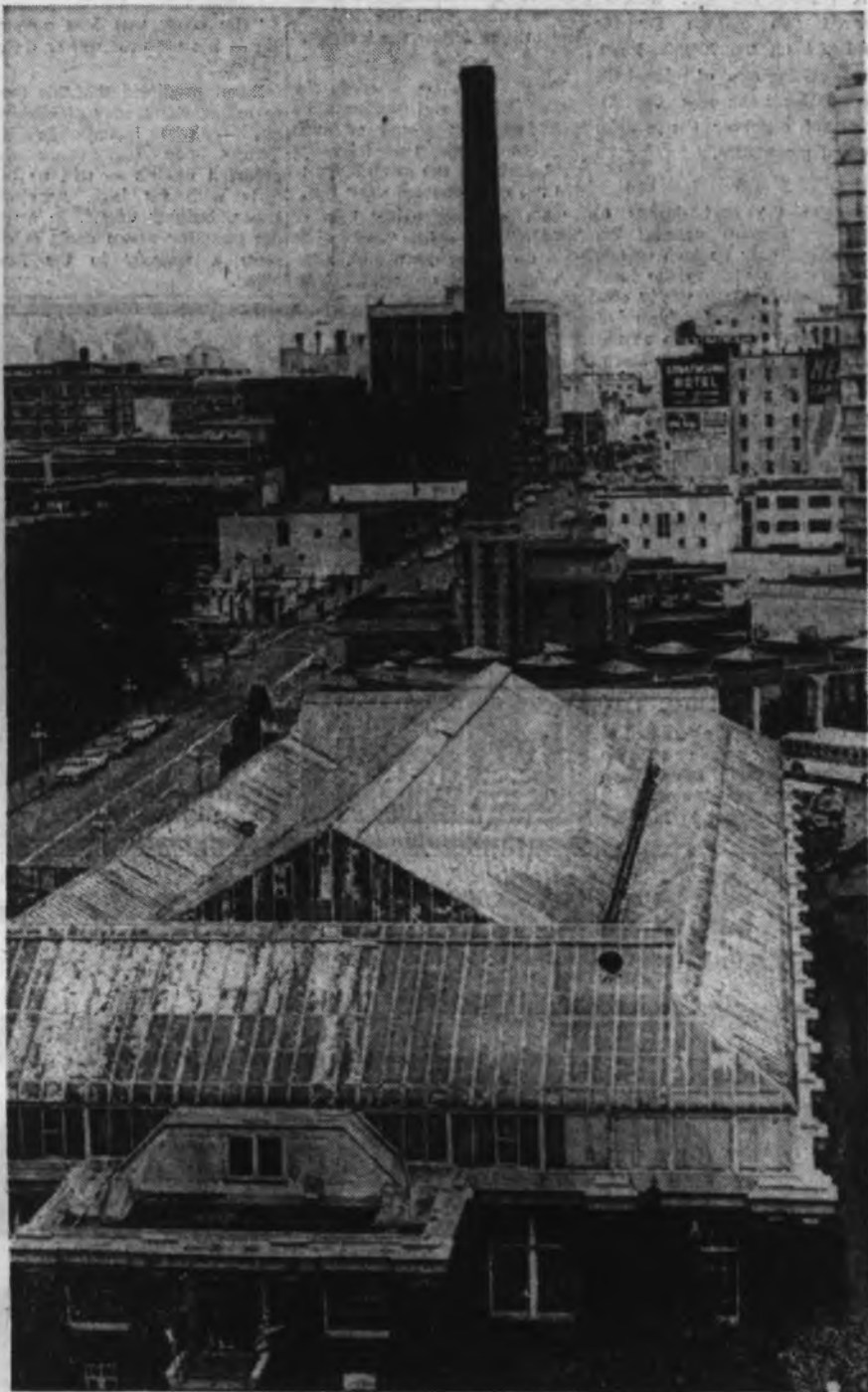
Mr. Hillsden said he was not sure what help could be expected from the provincial government in either venture, although "I am sure the provincial government would have to be consulted on such a plan as an addition to the Gorge."

"Such a plan would not be restricted to helping the multiple sclerosis patients, either, and is definitely the one that has had our most favorable consideration."

Mrs. Fielding is the woman who donated \$4,500 toward purchase of a Cosmo bus last year—a specially altered vehicle capable of carrying six passengers in wheelchairs and two seated.

Mr. Hillsden said the club expected it would be at least two months before a final decision on the allotment of the \$100,000 could be made.

About 150 of the Island's 200 multiple sclerosis victims live in Victoria. Some are able to hold jobs, but many are in private hospitals or confined to bed or a wheelchair at home.



## Cardiac Gear for Hospitals

## Lives Cost So Little

The lives of about 80 Greater Victoria men and women can be saved this year—for a price.

"That price is \$7,000, which the Victoria Kiwanis Club needs to complete a fund-raising drive to buy cardiac equipment for St. Joseph's and Royal Jubilee Hospitals."

Two coronary care units will be equipped early in the New Year, when the public

and provincial government have jointly contributed \$33,000, fund chairman Winton W. Sinclair said Wednesday.

"We have about \$15,000 now," said Mr. Sinclair. "When we reach \$22,000, the B.C. Hospital Insurance Service will chip in its one-third share."

"Half the people who die of coronary heart attacks could be saved with modern equip-

ment," said Mr. Sinclair. "In Greater Victoria that amounts to 80 people a year."

Equipment already ordered by the Kiwanians will monitor the heartbeats of critical heart cases and relay a warning if a heart signals trouble.

A faltering heart can also be "paced" with timed electric shocks. In the new coronary-care units,

Also to be purchased is equipment which will be used to train nurses in instant treatment of a patient suffering a renewed coronary attack.

Donations may be made to the Kiwanis Heart Equipment Fund, 221 Linden Avenue.

"It's a small price to pay for saving 80 lives a year," said Mr. Sinclair.

Painful  
Job  
Ahead

People who live in glass houses have a problem if they have to take down a nearby chimney—for example, 187-foot stack of old Empress Hotel power plant and laundry, hard by Crystal Garden. Chimney is soon to be torn down, but contractor still hasn't decided exact method. His most likely system, he says, will be a wrecking ball and crane, \$500,000 insurance, and lots of caution. — (Jim Ryan)

## Esquimalt Council Firm

Bell Left Alone  
Opposing Track

Esquimalt council stood firm Wednesday against a call by Councillor William Bell to withdraw support for a planned running track at Esquimalt senior high school.

All but Coun. Bell indicated an intention to co-operate with the Greater Victoria School Board in planning and laying the track, estimated to cost \$28,000.

Coun. Bell said the low-lying open area by the high school would be better suited for a swimming pool or "a duck farm."

The councillor also suggested that a running track would serve only a minority of athletes, and voiced the fear that the municipality was being drawn into a project over which it would have no control.

When Reeve Ray Bryant

reminded Coun. Bell that he had voted for a \$5,000 track appropriation in the 1967 Esquimalt budget, Coun. Bell replied:

"I was unaware of what I was doing at the time."

The track project has been talked about for the past several years. Students of Esquimalt High have raised \$5,000 toward it, council noted.

On Dec. 7, school trustees and members of the Esquimalt Recreation Commission agreed to set up a committee which would determine the exact cost and raising of funds.

Four Esquimalt councillors were present at the meeting.

## January Meeting Set

According to minutes of the meeting, it was generally agreed that when the site was ready, the Esquimalt municipal engineer would either engage a private firm to design and construct the track, or present an alternative plan.

The recreation commission will call a meeting early in 1968 to discuss fund-raising. Community participation will likely be invited.

Coun. Gerald Horne, a teacher at Esquimalt High, crossed swords with Coun. Bell on the suggestion that the municipality withdraw.

He said that council-school board co-operation is in keeping with the trend toward community use of schools.

"We're just coming out of the dark ages when the school was a building all by itself, and the community was not involved," said Coun. Horne.

In other business, council heard Coun. Roy Elphick air an amendment to the zoning bylaw which would ban on-street parking by residents of new duplexes and multi-family dwellings.

The amendment will be introduced in January, and will apply only to future construction.

Council also approved installation of a \$6,700 drain to serve 18 lots on Inskip Road. The cost will be borne from general revenue but the property owners will be charged a \$100 connection fee.



## Burns Lake Priest

Cathedral Ritual Soon  
For Yukon Bishop

Canon John T. Frame of Burns Lake will be consecrated Bishop of the Yukon in a ceremony at Christ Church Cathedral here at 10:30 a.m. Jan. 6.

Archbishop Harold Sexton will perform the ceremony in the presence of Lieutenant-Governor Pearkes, all the bishops of the province, and Bishop J. J. Curtis of Olympia, Wash.

Canon Frame, 37-year-old Anglican minister at Burns Lake, was elected to succeed the Rt. Rev. Henry Marsh, who resigned last October, to the 200,000-square-mile diocese.

More than 1,000 are expected to attend the historic ritual.

Youth  
Rule  
Opens

Speaker of House Joe Paynter, 28, of UBC, tries on hat in preparation for 37th Annual Boys' Parliament, which opened at 8 p.m. Wednesday in Legislative Buildings. Sessions today, Friday and Saturday at 2:30 and 8 p.m. are open to public. Provincial Archivist Willard Ireland, in role of lieutenant-governor for mock session, opened proceedings. Forests Minister Ray Williston and Mayor Hugh Stephen greeted the youthful legislators.—(Jim Ryan)

## Blakeney Inspiration Won't Die

Loss to Handicapped  
—And to All Victoria

Numerous tributes were paid Wednesday to Fred Blakeney, champion of the handicapped, who died Tuesday in the Royal Jubilee Hospital.

"The passing of Fred Blakeney is a great loss to the community and particularly to the 'handicapped,'" said Health Minister Wesley Black.

"During my years in office I came to know Mr. Blakeney well and, despite his own handicap he worked tirelessly for the benefit of others. Words cannot express our regret in the passing of such a man, but his work will live on and will remain a part of our memories for many years to come."

Mayor Hugh Stephen said, "The passing of Fred Blakeney has removed from among us one of the true heroes of our city."

"Under circumstances of physical handicap which would have left most of us spiritually prostrate, Fred rose gloriously triumphant. Not only did he manage to shape his own life into one of personal achievement but he carried others along with him and brought hope and fulfillment to many less afflicted than himself."

Mr. Blakeney established the Victoria branch of Goodwill Enterprises for the handicapped.

"The true measure of his accomplishment is in the assurance he has left us that human will and resolution can overcome the blackest reaches of despair, and that to the dauntless in spirit there is no such word as failure," said the mayor.

"Victoria mourns a great citizen, but we are immensely richer for the personal example he has left us."

George A. Gray, president-treasurer of Goodwill Enterprises, said, "It was Fred's shining courage and initiative that brought Goodwill Enterprises into being; his shining personal example inspired so many, and set the pattern for all the many private victories over disablement that Goodwill's handicapped people have achieved over the years."

Robert Dudley, manager and director of rehabilitation at Goodwill, recalled, "It was only a few days ago we listened to Fred Blakeney's inspiring and very cheerful Christmas message, especially recorded at his bedside for our annual Goodwill Christmas party. Now Fred's always-encouraging voice is stilled."

"Yet his spirit will live on here at Goodwill..." Funeral service will be at 1:15 p.m. Friday at McCall's. The Goodwill centre will be closed Friday in memory of Mr. Blakeney.

## Federal Candidate

Savage Joins  
Tory Race

A native Victorian announced Wednesday he will contest the Progressive Conservative candidacy for Victoria.

Victoria alderman-elect Clyde Savage, announcing his intention to stand for candidate in the nomination meeting Jan. 22, said:

"We need businessmen in Ottawa who will insist on common-sense administration, men who can make a decision with firmness and stand by that decision."

## Aware of Need

The son of the late Harry Savage, former president of the Victoria Conservative Association, said he was aware of the need for "capable representation in Ottawa to act for the western province of B.C., and particularly the city of Victoria."

A pharmacist by profession, and recently elected to his second term as alderman, Mr. Savage has a long record of community service, and has decided, he said, "to commit my years as a businessman,

civic official and Chamber of Commerce representative, to be of assistance to the people of Victoria in the federal field."

Mr. Savage said the three

most pressing problems facing the nation were national unity, labor-management relations and the need for financial adjustments.

Mr. Savage also advocates discipline and restraint in government expenditure at all levels; determination of priorities, co-ordination and timing of social security outlays, commensurate with the economy; government participation with private groups in vigorous tourist promotion, and increased and more continuous flow of desirable immigrants.

## Wide Experience

Chairman of the civic and public affairs committee of the Chamber of Commerce and the Industrial Research Commission, he is a director of the Gorge Road Hospital, Community Chest, Vancouver Island Publicity Bureau and the Victoria Visitor's Bureau.

Born in Victoria in 1908, Mr. Savage is married, with one son, Alan, living in Vancouver, and a daughter, Susan, at home.



Savage

Seen  
In  
Passing

Earl Davies in the pro shop... (Assistant pro for four years at Royal Colwood Golf and Country Club, he is single and lives at 632 Goldstream Avenue. His hobby is golf and training for golf.)... Vic Cassle hurrying away to see his girl friend... Maureen Pickup looking for the kitchen... Bob McKensie opening a late Christmas present... Jackie Godmark looking forward to a long trip... Myra Faust attending midnight mass... Pat Stewart sleeping under the Christmas tree... Wilda Lee playing scrabble... Jack Kempster with a guitar problem... Coleman Fulton getting ready for the ball at Royal Roads... Wayne Buck with a winning curling team.



Earl

## For Inauguration

Stephen Looks  
To Future

Mayor Hugh Stephen said Wednesday he will stress targets and objectives for Victoria in his inaugural address Jan. 8.

This policy will be a departure from that usually followed by city mayors who list past accomplishments rather than make future projections.

"This year I intend to try something new," the mayor said, "I shall naturally refer to past accomplishments, but the main tenor of my address will be what we hope to achieve in

the next year. I think the people should be told early in the year just where we are going."

The annual civic swearing-in ceremony will be held in the Victoria Law Courts on the morning of Jan. 3. The mayor's address will be made on inauguration day.

In addition to the mayor, aldermen-elect Lily Wilson, Ian Stewart, Robert Baird and said, "I shall naturally refer to past accomplishments, but the main tenor of my address will be what we hope to achieve in

THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST

December 28, 1967

Murder and Escape—While two Indians charged with the murder of a squaw at Cowichan were being brought to Victoria a few days ago, one managed to escape and has not been retaken. The murdered woman was a doctress, and was killed because she failed to cure the son of one of the accused. Did the same practice prevail among the whites, the M.D.s would stand a very poor chance of a long existence. The cargo of the ship Prince of Wales will be all landed by Monday evening and the ship will commence taking in home freight on that day. She will sail about the 29th proximo for London.





### Reversible Lining

A gold silk gown, jewel-embroidered in plaid effect by Count Sarni and worn under its matching silk coat with reversible fox fur lining, is the epitome of opulence in formal fashion elegance this season.—(CP Photo)

Ann



Landers

Dear Ann Landers: What do you think of a man who:

Has never been wrong in his life.  
Has moved 26 times in 14 years of marriage because he "likes a change of scenery."  
Has never set down at the table without complaining about the food.

Spends \$50 for cowboy boots and raises the roof off the house when his wife buys their little girl a pair of ballet slippers for \$4.98.  
Sneaks out of bed on Sunday morning and goes to a good restaurant for a huge breakfast all by himself.

Was nowhere around when his three children were born.  
Walks out of his own home when his in-laws are visiting because they don't agree with him on the war in Vietnam.

Chews hard candy or potato chips when he telephones his mother because he knows the crunching drives her crazy.

It sounds unbelievable, doesn't it? Well, the man is my husband. Although I am not a very good writer, I am a smart woman. Yet I can't figure out what the clod is trying to prove. I hope you will print this letter. Maybe if he sees how he looks in the newspaper he will straighten up and fly right.—  
BATTLE FIGURE

Dear Bat: Don't expect miracles, Lady. I'm printing your letter for other wives who write. Your husband will make their husbands look good.

In the meantime, how come a smart woman like you picked such a clinker?

Dear Ann Landers: Our son, Sam, who is 19 and a sophomore in college, was required to write a theme on some kind of business venture. It had to be "practical, imaginative and workable." Sam asked his dad's help with the assignment. Instead of giving the boy a few ideas, Sam's father threw himself into the project body and soul. He spent several hours on the theme, took it down to the office, dictated it to his secretary and had it all typed up. He then handed over the finished project to Sam who was delighted, naturally, since it had saved him hours of work.

I am annoyed with my husband for doing this. He says I am all wet, that the theme was "fun" and he hopes Sam asks his help again. I have no doubt that he will. May I have your views?—MEAN MOTHER

Dear Mother: Sam knows he is not being honest when he hands in a theme he did not write. It's bad enough when a friend helps pull off this act but when a boy's father helps him cheat it's outrageous. I hope your husband won't be too shocked when his son gets caught at some crooked act of a more serious nature. If he asks you, "Where did I fail?" you can tell him.

Dear Ann Landers: Our daughter is getting married next month and we have had so many arguments that I'm ready to buy her a ladder and tell her to climb.

## Holiday Gatherings

GANGES, B.C. — A large family gathering were together for Christmas at the homes of Mrs. J. B. Acland and her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Guthrie from Shawnigan Lake. Mrs. Guthrie has recently built a lovely home at the Canal of Saki Spring Island. Among their visitors were Mrs. B. D. Griffin and Mrs. V. Maude-Rosby from Kelowna; Capt. and Mrs. Victor Brown, Cornwall, Ontario and their son and daughter; Cadet Colin Brown, Kingston and Miss Susan Browne, Victoria; Mrs. Duncan Ritchie and son Duncan, Surrey, England; Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Guthrie and Sean, Comox; Barnaby Guthrie, Victoria and Miss Robin Garland, Shawnigan.

Another family gathering for Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bradley, Baker Road were their sons-in-law and daughters Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wiebe and young daughters Leah and Sarah and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ortnan and daughter Mia all from Powell River. Also staying with the Bradleys for a month is their nephew Lieut. Patrick Dillon, Queen's Own Rifles, Calgary.

Lieut. Commander Mark Crofton, R.C.N. and Mrs. Crofton, with their infant daughter, Laura spent Christmas with Lieut. Commander Crofton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dermott Crofton.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Knight, Victoria spent Christmas with Mrs. Knight's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith, Vesuvius Bay. Also visiting the Smiths over the festive season were Mr. Knight's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lenard Knight, Victoria.

Miss Gillian Humphreys arrived from Vancouver Saturday to spend Christmas with her parents Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Humphreys, Vesuvius Bay.

Misses Marilyn and Margaret MacQuarrie, Victoria are spending the Christmas holidays with their parents Rev. E. W. and Mrs. MacQuarrie.

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## What Goes Up—Must Come Down

LONDON (UPI)—The saddest words of tongue or pen, The hems are coming down again.

A professional girl watcher uttered this epitaph for the miniskirt on the King's Road, most swinging of London's thoroughfares the other day. To a casual observer the couplet seemed premature.

Despite the cold dozens of leggy girls were passing by, their skirts only an inch or two this side of a visit to the local police station. They vastly outnumbered the calf-length of "maxiskirts" turning up at the ratio of one or two to the block.

But the professional said the casual legmen were living in a fool's paradise. The three-year run of the great free show on London's streets (and more so in buses and subways) is drawing to a close.

"You see," said John Hurst, owner of the Rag Doll Boutique, "it's not how many maxiskirts you're beginning to notice. It's

**BANNED RHYMES**  
The rhymes Argentine postmen composed and circulated to remind their public of the Christmas season have been banned by the government — it held they amounted to begging for gratuities.

who's wearing them. And I recognize some of the girls now in long coats and long skirts or culottes as the trend setters.

"They were also the first into mini and microskirts. Fashion never starts with the masses. The masses follow the leaders."

Hurst said he shared the regret Britons and tourists alike will feel at the end of such innocent pleasures as following a miniskirt up the steep steps to the top of a double-decker bus.

"It's an inexorable law of fashion," he said, "that what goes up comes down and, after a while, goes up again. Two

things brought the hemlines down this time. One was the popularity of the Bonnie and Clyde film with fashions of the twenties.

"The other was less romantic — it's the cold winter we're having."

Hurst predicted that the first to follow the trendy maxiskirters — who include Brigitte Bardot, pop singer Lulu and assorted models — will be the girls with fat legs, spavined knees, bulging thighs. In brief, the girls for whom short skirts were a tragedy in the first place.

The girls with the best legs will hold out the longest so men ought to find some consolation in walking or using public transport until late next autumn when the hemlines, Hurst believes, will drop uniformly to mid-calf.

Since Paris tried to lower the hemline last season and failed Hurst was asked why he thought the movement would succeed in Britain this time. "They have the fashion ideas," he said, patriotically, "but we've got the legs."

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wedding will take place at 6:30 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 6, at Glad Tidings Tabernacle, with Rev. Roy Upton officiating and Rev. Eric Hornby assisting.—(Mr. Richmond's photo by Sherwood Studios)



Mr. and Mrs. Frederick J. Murphy, 2558 Scott Street, announce the forthcoming marriage of their only daughter, Joan Elizabeth, to Mr. Barry Allan Lee, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Lee, 1555 Mt. Douglas Cross Road. The wedding will take place at 7 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 20, in St. Aidan's United Church with Rev. A. G. MacLeod officiating.—(Chevrone Studio)

## Heirloom Gold Locket For 'Something Old'

Rev. A. Calder officiated at the recent ceremony in Oak Bay United Church when Carolyn Anne Gilchrist, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Gilchrist, 1940 Brighton Avenue became the bride of Mr. Colin James Moir, only son of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Moir, 3800 Cedar Hill Cross Road.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was lovely in a floor-length gown of nylon sheer over silk, featuring two rose-embroidered panels which complemented the back of the skirt from waist to hemline. Her illusion net veil was shoulder length and she carried a cascade bouquet of gardenias, white feathered chrysanthemums and ivy. As something old the bride wore a gold locket, an heirloom and gift of her grandmother.

The bride chose her three sisters as her attendants. Mrs.

Susan Gray was matron-of-honor and Misses Barbara and Donna Gilchrist were junior bridesmaids. They wore matching empire waist gowns of cerise velvet with velvet rose and net headpieces in tone, and carried bouquets of pink roses, the reception in Henderson Hall.



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## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. George R. Pearkes will give a luncheon at Government House today. Their guests will be members of the Older Boys Parliament.

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### Hollywood Visitors

Mrs. Joan Winther of Hollywood, Calif., and children, Kim, Lisa, Brian and Peter, will arrive here Friday for a two-day visit. They will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. O'D. Walton on Glastonbury who will hold "open house" for their guests on Friday.

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### Home From Toronto

Miss Elizabeth Tyrwhitt-Drake, daughter of Judge M. L. Tyrwhitt-Drake and Mrs. Tyrwhitt-Drake, 534 St. Charles Street, is home from Toronto for the Christmas holiday. She is a student at Trinity College, University of Toronto and will be visiting in Victoria until early January.

## School Bazaar Raises \$1,500

The sum of \$1,500 was realized at the recent Christmas bazaar held by St. Louis College Parent-Teacher organization at St. Louis College.

Mrs. H. James, diocesan president of the Catholic Women's League, opened the affair. She was introduced by Mrs. Frank Stuart, PTO president.

Mrs. L. Webb, Mrs. K. Alexander and Mrs. L. Lynch were general conveners and Mrs. J. Hogan was in charge of the tea room.

Other conveners and helpers were Mrs. R. Trotter, Mrs. V. Armstrong, Mrs. R. Brooks, Mrs. H. Jordens, Mrs. C. Baier, Mrs. W. Finlay, Mrs. J. Redmond, Mrs. P. Scurrah, Mrs. M. Fisher, Mrs. P. Sneddon, Mrs. J. Bond, Mrs. E. Claxton, Mr. and Mrs. E. Langkamer, Mrs. R. Flanagan, Mrs. W. Kirzinger, Miss Mary Malcolm, John Lunch and Robert Anderson, Mrs. P. Brophy, Mrs. C.

Tomby, Mrs. W. Kracker, Mrs. G. Hewitt, Misses J. Tomby and B. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. A. Ritz, Mrs. Haynes, Mrs. F. Griffin, Miss C. Ritz, Mrs. J. P. Martin, Mrs. I. Comerford, Mrs. J. Perse, Mrs. K. Kissinger, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bishop, Mrs. N. Caldwell, Mrs. V. Green, Mrs. C. Dowling, Mrs. E. Adrian, Mrs. M. Mae and Mrs. M. Moore.

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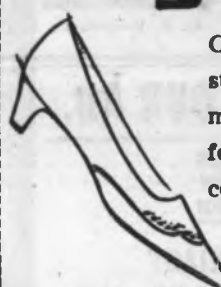
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## Anniversary Celebration In California

Former Victorians, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Foot of Northridge, Calif., were honored on the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary at a surprise party held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pinev, Woodland Hills, Calif. Hostesses at the party for 40 invited guests were Mrs. Pinev, Mrs. Gary Couts, Mrs. Frank Jones (all former Victorians) and Mrs. William Culp of Reseda.

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Mr. and Mrs. Foot were married here Dec. 4, 1942, in St. Barnabas Church and their attendants were Mrs. Ruth Murray of Craigflower Road, and Mr. T. Embrey of Toronto, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Foot moved to the United States 10 years ago, residing in Reseda, recently moving to Northridge. They have one son, Terry, living at home, and a son and daughter-in-law, Ronald and Barbara, living in Camarillo Park, Calif.

### SEEK AWARD

A group of Argentine writers, painters, actors and newspaper men are seeking a posthumous Nobel Peace Prize for Walt Disney, the American creator of cartoon and nature movies who died last year.

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## McGill Wins Victoria Prize

## Ubyyssey Repeats Victory

VANCOUVER (CP) — The Ubyyssey, student newspaper of the University of British Columbia, Wednesday night won the Southam trophy for general excellence among Canadian newspapers for the seventh year in a row.

The trophy was presented at a banquet of the Canadian University Press, which is holding its annual conference at Simon Fraser University in Burnaby.

The University of Toronto Varsity and the University of Alberta Gateway tied for second-place honors.

Winners of the Montreal Star trophy for photographic excellence was the Gateway. The Fraser University Peak and the

Toronto Globe and Mail's trophy for sports coverage was shared by two college papers, the Queen's University Journal and the University of Western Ontario Gazette.

Four newspapers, including the Ubyyssey, shared the Bracken trophy for editorial writing. The others were the St. Mary's Journal of Halifax, the Simon Fraser University Peak and the

Georgian, of Sir George Williams University in Montreal.

The Victoria Press trophy for the best weekly supplement went to the McGill University daily.

The University of Western Ontario Gazette also won the Jacques Bureau trophy for the best weekly paper, while the Ralph Allen trophy for small papers went to Waterloo University's Cord weekly.

Food Stall  
Names  
Next Date

The next Free Food Stall will be held Jan. 27, convener Mrs. Joan Price said Wednesday.

Mrs. Price also said the winners of last week's stall contest were Nos. 4527, 4598, 4555, 3362, 3672, 4684, 3839, 3881, 4415, 4627, 4704.

Holders of winning tickets should get in touch with Mrs. Marlene Lingard, phone 385-0116.

For Canada in 1968

## Price-Wage Limit Eyed

MONTREAL (CP) — The Gazette says the federal government is preparing a campaign to persuade labor and industry to limit wage-price increases to five per cent in 1968.

The newspaper says in a dispatch by Ottawa correspondent Arthur Blackely that the government's campaign would be aimed at the implementation of the guidelines policy which Finance Minister Sharp forecast earlier this year.

The task is regarded by Ottawa

sources as one of the most difficult and perilous challenges which the federal cabinet has ever assumed, the Gazette adds.

The federal government's labor-management record is scarcely impressive, says The

Gazette. The last time that Ottawa became heavily and directly involved in wage disputes, the result was a series of large and inflationary settlements with St. Lawrence Seaway, CBC, CNR and Air Canada workers.



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## Victoria Obituaries

## Longtime Teacher Dies at 94

Funeral services will be held in Hayward's Chapel at 3:15 p.m. Friday for John Oswald Welch, 94, a longtime Greater Victoria teacher who died here Wednesday.

Mr. Welch came to Victoria early this century and was best known as a teacher of commercial subjects at Victoria High School.

He was born in Liverpool, England, in 1873, moving to Ottawa with his parents as a boy. A life-long teacher, he served in Ottawa and in Olds and Red Deer, Alta., before coming to Victoria.

Mr. Welch became principal of McKenzie elementary school

before joining the staff of Victoria High School in 1925. He retired in 1940.

Mr. Welch and his wife were active members of Metropolitan United Church. For approximately 30 years they sang together in the church choir.

Mrs. Welch predeceased her husband in 1957. They had no children.

Funeral services will be held in Sands' Chapel at 3 p.m. Saturday for Victoria native son James Ernest Speed who died Tuesday in St. Joseph's Hospital at 78.

Mr. Speed's grandparents were pioneers who came around

the Horn in 1854. Speed Avenue in Victoria was named after them.

In his working years, Mr. Speed was employed by R. P. Rithet; Macdonald's Consolidated Ltd., and Kelly Douglas & Co., Ltd.

Mrs. Margaret Elizabeth Fanthorpe, 55, a longtime resident of Victoria, died on Boxing Day. A native of New Westminster, Mrs. Fanthorpe had lived in Victoria for 28 years, at 2934 Cedar Hill.

Survivors include her husband, Harry Fanthorpe.

Funeral service will be held at 1 p.m. Tuesday in Sands' Chapel.

## Father Returned to Asylum

## 'I've Just Killed My Babies'

JONESBURG, La. (AP)—A man went into a funeral home Wednesday and announced: "I've had an accident; I've killed my babies."

Two of the little girls were shot with a high-powered rifle and two were strangled.

Police said he was returned to the same state mental hospital which had released him six weeks ago.

No charge was filed immediately.

Mrs. E. L. Edmonds, the funeral home owner, said she was waiting on a customer when he walked up to her desk.

"I didn't know anything was wrong," she said. "He appeared calm."

"I asked if I could help him, and he answered: 'I've had an accident; I've killed my

babies.' He said he had the four children in the car outside."

Watson sat quietly in the waiting room until police arrived, she said.

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MONTREAL (CP) — Charitable donations in Canada rose to a new high during 1967, it was announced Wednesday night.

Arthur R. Maybee, president

of G. A. Brakeley and Co. Ltd., a fund-raising consultant firm, said he estimated that Canadians gave a total of \$570,000,000 or \$27.88 per capita to churches, community funds, hospitals, universities and other gift-supported institutions and causes.

This total surpasses last year's by \$20,000,000. Individuals gave an estimated \$523,000,000 and corporations an estimated \$47,000,000, he said in a statement.

Breakdown was 49 per cent for religion, 17 per cent for education, 12 per cent for welfare, 11 per cent for health, six per cent for miscellaneous civic and cultural projects and 4 per cent unclassified.

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Looking for a good investment? This property is located right in the heart of Sidney. Level, cleared, wooded. Excellent value and potential. Priced at \$12,500.

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## Christmas Guns Out of Action

LADYSMITH—Two Ladysmith boys who received air rifles for Christmas had them confiscated Wednesday for firing them indiscriminately in an alley in town.

Police said they received a complaint the boys, aged 14 and 15, had been firing the pellet guns in an alley at random.

They said the guns had been confiscated to the Crown but that no charges would be laid.

An RCMP officer said no one under 18 is allowed to use any type of gun unless accompanied by an adult.

Any person under 14 must obtain a special permit from police in order to have a gun in his possession.

The RCMP officer added, "It is also an offence to give any child under 14 a pellet, a BB or a .22 bullet, let alone a gun, unless a permit is obtained."

"This offence can bring a fine of up to \$500 or six months in jail."

He said many parents do not know about these laws."

## Longshoreman Drowns After Crash

NANAIMO—A driver was drowned Wednesday afternoon when his vehicle plunged into 40 feet of water from a crash on the dock.

Thomas Frederick Bradley, 40, was in his panel van when it collided with a lumber carrier.

One of the workers at B berth on the assembly wharf, Phil Woitas said, "We were all working aboard ship when it happened."

"We rushed over, but all you could see was bubbles."

Mr. Bradley was an employee of Canadian Stevedoring. The carrier was driven by Donald Gordon Watson, Saltair.

Skindiver Sonny Hodgson of Nanaimo Diver Service was called immediately.

He recovered the body about half an hour later, taking it aboard the tug Cowichan. Efforts by Nanaimo firemen to revive Mr. Bradley failed.

A huge crane from John Gornish Ltd. was brought to the accident scene. It recovered the van shortly after.

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In the matter of the estate of ARCHIBALD BAINBRIDGE, late of 48 High Street, Victoria, B.C., deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of Archibald Bainbridge, are hereby required to send them to the undersigned executor, at Suite 604, 1405 Douglas Street, Victoria, B.C., before the 22nd day of January, 1968, after which date the executor will distribute the said estate amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall have received notice.

**BRIAN F. GREEN,**  
Executor.  
By MARCHANT & GILLIS, his Solicitors.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS**  
In the matter of the ESTATE of DONALD ALFRED COOKE, late of 1234 Telford Drive, Victoria, B.C., deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of the above named deceased are hereby required to send them to the undersigned Executor, at P.O. Box 284, Victoria, B.C., before the 28th day of January, A.D. 1968, after which date the Executor will distribute the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he then has notice.

And all persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay their indebtedness to said Administrator forthwith.

DATED at Victoria, B.C., this 13th day of December, 1967.

Official Administrator for the County of Victoria.

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In the matter of the estate of ALICE JOSEF BAYLESS, deceased, late of 1063 Fairfield Road, Victoria, B.C.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of the above named deceased are hereby required to send them to the undersigned solicitors for the executor, at 302-612 View Street, Victoria, B.C., before the 31st day of January, 1968, after which date the executor will distribute the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he then has notice.

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Administration of the estate of KARL ALFRED JULSTETH, deceased, who died intestate at Victoria, B.C., on August 11th, 1967, was granted on December 20th, 1967, in the Victoria Registry of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, in Official Administrator for County of Victoria.

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Notice is hereby given that creditors and others having claims against the estate of the above named deceased, who died at Victoria, B.C., on August 11th, 1967, are hereby required to send them, properly verified by Statutory Declaration, to the undersigned at 302 Royal Trust Building, Victoria, B.C., before the 31st day of January, 1968, after which date the administrator will distribute the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he then has notice.

And all persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay their indebtedness to said administrator forthwith.

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Official Administrator for the County of Victoria.

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ESTATE OF THOMAS MILLAR

Administration of the estate of THOMAS MILLAR, deceased, who was last seen alive on the 18th day of November, 1967, and whose dead body was found on the 20th day of November, 1967, at Victoria, B.C., intestate, was granted on the 20th day of December, in the Victoria Registry of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, in Official Administrator for the County of Victoria.

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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS**  
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And all persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay their indebtedness to said administrator forthwith.

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## 'Smoke Laws Need Teeth'

Jack Christensen, whose Tahnis company has set an anti-pollution pattern in the pulp industry, called Wednesday for a chair of pollution at the University of British Columbia.

Mr. Christensen, Tahnis president and a determined anti-pollutionist, said British Columbia needs at least 20 professional pollution experts now, instead of the handful "doing their best but not specifically trained."

Pollution experts should be trained at the university, he said, so they could take their place alongside other professional engineers.

He favors pollution laws "with teeth in them" to curb contamination of air and water by industrial and human waste.

Christensen, a 50-year-old non-smoker, is annoyed if the mountains across Vancouver harbor are obscured by smoke when he looks out the windows of his eighth-floor office atop the East Asiatic Building.

In B.C., where pulp mills and pollution are almost synonymous, the 750-ton-a-day Tahnis mill at Gold River is an example of what can be done to improve the industry's image and the individual's well-being.

Mr. Christensen said in 1965 when plans for the new mill were announced. "We are determined to preserve them, just as we are determined to keep the whole of the Gold River valley as healthy and desirable a place to live and work as possible."

## Pioneer Buried

The funeral was held in Vancouver Wednesday of Hugh Daniel Murphy who died recently in Vancouver General Hospital at the age of 80.

He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. E. J. Farkes, Vancouver, one son, Dr. Thomas A. and two brothers, Thomas, of Vancouver, and James, of Victoria.

Mr. Murphy was well known in the Lake Cowichan district where he was a partner in the logging company, MacDonald and Murphy Ltd. in the late 1920s and early '30s.

The funeral was held from St. Augustine's Church and interment was made in Ocean View Cemetery.

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## Courtroom Parade

# Alcohol-Gasoline Mix Jails Three Drivers

Magistrate William Ostler jailed three drinking motorists when they appeared in central magistrate's court Wednesday. Two pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated and the third to impaired driving.

Simon James Smith, 29, of Brentwood Bay was sentenced to 20 days when he pleaded



**Expo Hibernates**

Expo takes on new appearance under wraps for winter. Colorful boat in front of Burnside pavilion is example, pictured at top last spring, and below this month—plastic-wrapped and covered with Montreal's first snow. Many Expo buildings and exhibits are expected to reopen next year.—(CP)

## Wyatt Targets

# Victoria Scores Six Out of Seven

Former city manager C. C. Wyatt set seven targets for Victoria back in 1952. Six of them



Wyatt

## Absentee Reports Attacked

OTTAWA (CP) — President Claude Edwards of the Public Service Alliance Wednesday criticized news reports on Boxing Day absenteeism in the federal public service.

He said in a statement that news stories had suggested the employees "just decided to stay away from work" despite a treasury board ruling that Boxing Day was not a holiday.

"This is completely wrong and, I consider, irresponsible or inaccurate reporting," he said. "Reports dealt, in prominent headlines, with the fact that in some departments there had been from 25 to 50 per cent of the staff not reporting for duty."

**BURIED FACT**  
"The fact that most of these employees were taking authorized annual leave, or using up overtime leave before the end of the year, seemed to be well buried in the body of these stories."

Mr. Edwards did not identify the news stories. While several departments reported from 25 to 50 per cent absenteeism, the only precise figure available was from the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, which said 42 per cent of its employees were away.

A spokesman for the treasury board, the cabinet committee with special jurisdiction over the public service, said it is not known what part of those absent were officially on leave.

## PROVINCE AGREEMENT

"That recognition was obtained a few years later, with an agreement by the province to pay the equivalent of a flat 15 mills to cover services."

This is recognition of a sort, says Mr. Wyatt, but it would be much more satisfactory if the province, like the federal government, paid full taxes on buildings and installations.

Elimination of excessive debt by adoption of a pay-as-you-go policy was another suggestion and this was put into action almost immediately for the next decade, the only debentures issued by the city were for local improvements.

The soundness of this policy, said Mr. Wyatt, has been demonstrated by the fact that the city has never looked back financially, and has been able to handle many improvements of a capital nature.

## SOUND POLICY

Another Wyatt suggestion was a thorough overhaul of business and trades licenses and that, too, was soon accomplished to the financial betterment of the city.

Item four called for a greater share of the several provincial taxes raised within the city's boundaries.

The government has raised its per-capita grant to the city over the years, but again, not to the satisfaction of City Hall.

Mr. Wyatt also urged that "statutory provision be obtained to level off anomalies with regard to debt charges payable over a period from 1964 to 1970."

A Debt Equalization Fund was set up under a board of debt retirement, and it still functions successfully.

**SCHOOL COSTS**  
A battle to have the province carry a larger part of school costs was recommended, and it is still going on. Partial relief was obtained but, once more, not to the satisfaction of the city. This struggle will undoubtedly be joined again in the spring of next year at budget time.

And so, says Mr. Wyatt, while not all targets were hit, six out of seven is still a good batting average.

guilty to intoxicated driving. His licence was suspended for one year except during certain hours.

Thomas Thibault, 18, of 82 San Jose was jailed for 10 days for intoxicated driving. His licence was suspended.

Robert White of Tahsis was sentenced to one month in jail

for impaired driving and one month for driving while his licence was suspended. The sentences are consecutive, and White was prohibited from driving for two years.

Prosecutor Cory Stolte said Smith stopped Saturday afternoon at Government and Johnson. When the light turned green, Smith skunked over the wheel of his car, which moved forward.

The car mounted the sidewalk and came to rest against a store front.

## I'VE HAD IT

Asked what he had been drinking, Smith said: "Name it. I've had it."

Smith fell asleep sitting on a chair in the police station, Mr. Stolte said. Smith was convicted of impaired driving in January, 1963.

Mr. Stolte said Thibault struck a parked car at 6:15 p.m. Saturday night on Rock Bay and drove away with headlights doused. The car was stopped about 15 minutes later by Esquimalt police and Thibault had changed places with a passenger.

## ADDED DAY

At 7 p.m., Thibault passed out in the police station, court was told. Wine, beer and whisky were found in the car and Thibault was sentenced to one day in jail for being a minor in possession of liquor.

White was stopped Tuesday night after driving erratically on Esquimalt Road. He admitted being convicted of impaired driving August, 1966, and of driving while suspended last July.

Magistrate Ostler said before passing sentence: "There's only one answer for such wilful defiance of the law."

Edwin Murray Perry, 26, of 4975 Cordova Bay was remanded to today to select his method of trial on a charge of having marijuana in his possession Saturday. Robert Price appeared for the defence.

Two motorcyclists from Delta who rode through Seaside at speeds of about 70 miles an hour were fined a total of \$300 when they pleaded guilty to dangerous driving.

Thomas Gordon Glenn, 18, was fined \$100 and Ronald Joseph Thys, 19, was fined \$200. Both had their licences cancelled.

Mr. Stolte said the two accused and a juvenile accelerated to about 70 miles an hour at 3 a.m. Wednesday when they saw a police car on Cedar Hill Cross Road.

After about a mile Glenn stopped, but Thys and the juvenile carried on. They went through a stop sign at Seaside Road at about 75 miles an hour and travelled about 80 miles an hour on Douglas as they went through a red light at McKenzie before being stopped.

William McPherson left a trail of damage behind him as he drove at midnight Nov. 5.

McPherson, 51, of 477 Sturdee struck a parked car on Kings, a parked car on Blackwood and a car on Haultain. After the second collision, McPherson drove, with both headlights

broken, through a stop sign at Haultain and Fernwood at about 40 miles an hour.

Mr. Stolte said McPherson drove over a rockery at the Veterans' Hospital, onto a lawn and drove in a circle four times before being stopped by two motorists who had followed him. He gave a breathalyzer reading of .20 per cent.

McPherson pleaded guilty to impaired driving and was fined \$400. His licence was suspended. Magistrate Ostler commented: "It seems impossible that a person could carry on that way."

Kenneth David Simpson, 21, of 1231 Devenham was fined \$150 for dangerous driving. He drove at a high speed Tuesday night on Government and slowed to turn right onto Pandora.

His car mounted the sidewalk and a passenger jumped out and fled on foot, court was told.

William Joseph Muldrig entered a home Saturday on Balmoral uninvited and as he walked out he said to the owner, "Thanks very much."

Muldrig, 42, of 535 Gorge, pleaded guilty to unlawfully being in a dwelling house and was remanded to Jan. 5 for a pre-sentence report.

Court was told that Muldrig left the house just as the owner returned home, and was located at a nearby church.

Michael Patrick Paine, no fixed address, was remanded to Jan. 3 to select his method of trial on a charge of breaking into the Health and Welfare Building, 1947 Cook, and committing mischief.

Paine was arrested after windows were smashed Sunday in the building with a metal ashtray stand. Paine did not ask for bail.

Manfred Lange, 1830 Stanley, was fined \$35 when he was found guilty of causing a disturbance Friday night in the lobby of the Century Inn, 603 Pandora.

Leonard Yeo of Powell River was fined \$50 for making a false statement in his accident report to police, and \$40 for careless driving.

Vernon Reid, 550 Johnson, was fined \$50 when he was found guilty of consuming liquor in a public place. He drank from a wine bottle Sept. 18 on the Johnson Street wharf.

Frank Charters, no fixed address, was sentenced to 10 days in jail when he was found guilty of vagrancy. He was arrested Dec. 22 after he was found sleeping in a hotel washroom.

Murray Herwood, 654 Goldstream, was fined \$100 for failing to remain at the scene of an accident and \$40 for careless driving. He was involved in an accident on Sooke Road.

Fined for careless driving: Michael Buckley, 244 Millstream, \$50; Gary Madden, 1000 Tillecum, \$40; Harold Nicholson of Sooke, \$40.

## Bonner Urges Credit Shopping in '68

The buying public should shop for credit in the same way they shop for styles, colors and size after British Columbia's new consumer protection laws come into effect on Monday, Attorney-General Bonner said Wednesday. Mr. Bonner said he expects to see credit advertising assume new importance as retailers compete for business from consumers who buy on credit contracts.

The new bill of rights for buyers was passed by the legislative assembly last spring but was not immediately proclaimed.

because time was needed to permit firms to prepare for the new regulations. It requires uniform disclosure of interest charges on borrowing and credit buying expressed both in percentage rates and actual dollars.

The legislation also restricts fine print clauses in contracts, gives courts wider powers to rescind contracts considered harsh, and provides for a three-day cooling off period on certain door-to-door sales, during which the buyer can cancel the contract.

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# Garden Notes

## Don't Coddle Plants

By M. V. CHESNUT

I think I mentioned once before that a surprising number of the letters that come to my desk are from folks who don't have any gardens — readers who live in apartments, rooming houses, light housekeeping suites and institutions. Some of these are from ex-gardeners who have had to give up their homes because of age or infirmity, and I have picked up many a useful tip from these old-timers.

Most of these notes from non-gardeners, though, are requests for help in the management of houseplants. And because potted plants are such popular Christmas gifts nowadays, my heaviest influx of houseplant comes every year just after Christmas.

For this reason, it has become my custom to devote a series of columns in the post-Christmas period to the care of gift plants. During the next few days I will give specific instructions for the year-round care of the poinsettia, the cyclamen, the azalea and such popular potted plants; today I thought I might discuss some common mistakes in the care of houseplants in general.

Strangely enough, the failures with gift houseplants are seldom due to

neglect, even in the homes of the most scatterbrained and forgetful folks. On the contrary, the new owner, enthralled by the lovely gift, tends to overwater the poor thing with misplaced kindness — too much warmth and coddling, too frequent watering, too many plant pills. Actually, a plant will stand up much better under a little wholesome neglect than under constant, fussy mothering.

Probably the most common error is too much warmth, due to the mistaken belief that plants enjoy the same temperatures we do.

Our body mechanism is such that we are most comfortable in a temperature range of 70 to 75 degrees, but we are warm-blooded mammals; our plants are not. Nearly all our common houseplants would be happier in an uncomfortable chilly room — say around 60 degrees.

This isn't practicable, of course, unless a spare room is available which can be kept cooler than the rest of the house. In any case, we don't want to shut away our gift plants in isolation; we want it to live with us. Fortunately, all our most popular potted plants will tolerate a higher temperature than they really like.

One thing we CAN do for them,

though, is to find living quarters for them well removed from the sizzling heat of a steam radiator or the sirocco-like blast from a hot air register. This is a must for any houseplant.

Another very common cause of ill health in potted plants is over-watering; far more plants die of drowning in soggy, airless soil than ever perish from neglect. Always remember that plant roots need air as well as moisture, and air cannot penetrate soil when it is saturated.

I am often asked how often a certain kind of plant should be watered; actually, no plant should EVER be watered on a fixed time schedule, for its needs will vary with the temperature, air humidity, size of pot and texture of soil. For the novice, the best plan is to test the soil surface with the fingertips daily, but give water only when it feels definitely dry to the touch.

In the matter of light, all potted plants must have plenty of daylight although some kinds cannot tolerate scorching sunshine. At this season of the year, though, even the kinds with tender skins will do better in a sunny window, for the winter sun isn't powerful enough to harm them.

### ERMA BOMBECK Sets Aptitude Test

## Are You Motherhood Type?

I don't pretend to know anything about anthropologists. At one time I not only thought anthropologist Margaret Mead was a foot doctor, I recommended her to three of my friends. However, when they speak of women and motherhood, these are two and three syllable words that even I can comprehend.

Recently in a national magazine, Margaret Mead came out with some pretty shocking predictions for the utility room set. She said in the not-too-distant future women will be divided into two groups: the workers and the child bearers. The workers would labor in offices and industry while the child bearers would labor, period!

Now you can halt right here for a minute. If they're serious about this, let me go on record as saying, I've always been a narrow-hipped, sickly girl who cries at basketball games.

I do not feel beautiful when I am pregnant. I feel nauseous, bloated and salt free.

I am impatient, rub whisky on MY gums when baby is teething and bake a lousy apple pie.

I have never understood the old math, let alone the new, can't, communicate with teenagers and hate corsages on Mother's Day.

There, now that I'm taken care of, let's see what we can do for the rest of you. It will be interesting to note on what basis women will be selected for their respective groups.

Somehow I have a distinct feeling it's going to be a bad

century for queen bees. Perhaps everything will be hinged on a questionnaire to be filled out by high school girls.

Q. Do you prefer an 8-5 day or one that is 12 hours long?

Q. Do you honestly feel you can cure a scraped knee with a kiss applied on a small, fat cheek?

Q. Do you find knotted drawstrings on your skirt a fun thing?

Q. Do you prefer filling things to cleaning up things?

Q. Are you fussy about not seeing your feet four months out of the year?

Q. Do you prefer eating lunch with (a) an office boy who pinches (b) a boss who pinches (c) a kid who eats soup with his fingers?

Q. For night life, do you enjoy (a) dinner and dancing (b) madcap parties (c) watching test patterns on TV while the bottle heats?

Q. How do you feel about money? (a) It can't buy happiness. (b) It can buy happiness. (c) You don't care what it buys so long as it's in a joint account.

The thing I resent the most about the theory is that mothers lose their professional standing. Child-raising is a profession. Just because it is open to any married woman and requires no degrees, prerequisites or experience does not make it any less of a profession. Where's the pride that comes with being a pried piper?

No, sir. Just throw us all on the holy sea of matrimony and see who comes up with the Christmas bonus and who gets the sticky kisses. It makes it more interesting that way.

### The Little World of SHEILAH GRAHAM

## Carroll Baker Solos

LONDON (NANA) — Carroll Baker and Jack Garfield have been living apart for several months, but now it's official. They have separated. Jack is working in Hollywood. Carroll is making a movie in Rome. The ironic title, *Honeymoon*.

Judy Garland's sister, Dorothy, is co-author of the Get the Girl revue at the New York Playhouse Club... Richard Barlow, who never stops working, is looking for a musical in which to star with Elizabeth Taylor. He is now indulging in singing lessons.

Warren Beatty flew into London to see Vanessa Redgrave, but before I could make anything of it, he said, "We're just good friends." They dated a bit in Hollywood when Vanessa was starring there in the highly successful *Camelot*. The critics weren't mad about the film, but the public is.

Claire Trevor will be a new kind of queer-lady in her touring stint with *The Killing of Sister George*. She will play the pathetic male half of the couple in a softer vein than Beryl Reid in London and on Broadway. No drinking of dirty bathwater, no eating of cigars, for her companion. "Why did you return to your career?" I asked Claire (who is married to real estate tycoon Milton Brea) "when you have such a lovely life on your yacht in southern California." "We decided we were in a rut," she said, Claire will now be in the market for films as well as plays and that's good news. And

how about Claire for Mame on Broadway when Angela Lansbury takes to he road with her smash hit?

Ella Leachester, in and out of Hollywood and New York, is now coming to London to gather material for her biography of her late and beloved husband, Charles Laughton.

Brigitte Bardot will be spending more time in London now that her husband, Gunter Sachs, is planning to produce animated cartoons in the British capital.

Was Mia Farrow sick or something that she required as a constant escort Sinafra's pal, Jilly, during her recent stay in New York. Mia has been hospitalized several times during Rosemary's Baby. It might be a good idea for her to take a rest after her upcoming tonsillectomy. Last word was that she had not given up her trip to meditate for a month with the Maharishi in India, with her sister, Frances, who is as beautiful as Mia. All of the Maureen O'Sullivan-John Farrow children are handsome and should be with that mother and the blond blue-eyed coloring of their father.

People keep asking me what went wrong with the Mel Ferrer-Audrey Hepburn marriage. It was the case of an older man supervising every action of his younger wife. It ended Jean Simmons' marriage to Stewart Granger some years ago. There comes a time when the wife says, "I don't drink hot milk before going to bed. I want a high ball." and that's it brother.

### DR. STUART ROSENBERG Offers Sage Advice

## Don't Forget to Remember

What does it mean to remember? Exactly what the word suggests: to re-member, to become a part, once again, of something which was part of us, as bone of bone, flesh of flesh, as a member of a body, a family, a community.

What does it mean to forget? To forget is to reject, to dis-member — to break the tie that unites us to a body, a family or community, the bond that makes us one with the other.

Nietzsche suggested a profoundly simple idea that sheds light on the question of remembering and forgetting.

Said he: my memory tells me that I was present and part of a certain moment or that I engaged in a certain act. My pride, however, tells me that I was not there, or that I did not do it. Whenever my memory and my pride enter into conflict, it is my pride that wins.

The Scriptural story of the chief cup-bearer of the Egyptian Pharaoh is a good case in point. He did not want to remember that he was once in

a dungeon with Joseph, the Hebrew servant; so he forgot. His pride and his vanity got in the way of his reason, and he literally forced himself not to remember.

Pride and vanity are only two of many possible emotional interferences with memory. Jealousy, hate, and competitiveness often lead us from wishing to be connected to, and related to, certain people, events, or ideas. Our emotions get in the way of the reasonable use of memory.

And yet, man is so constructed that something happens to him when he forgets. What happens? Guilt sets in. Even in a healthy mind, large enough doses of guilt can slowly make that mind sick and unreasoning. Why does guilt set in when we forget?

For a very simple reason: man is essentially a connecting creature. He needs to be part of something larger than himself, to be a member of a family, a community, a world. When he willfully rejects that which he is related to, and instead of being bound to

it by re-membering, breaks the bonds and is dis-membered, he cannot long abide that false relationship. The cup-bearer knew that he owed his life to Joseph in spite of the fact that his pride and vanity forced him to forget. But he knew it, and his forgetting only served to make him more and more aware of what he was rejecting.

Longer than we think, we remember what we willfully forget!

And yet, human nature is so ordered that it cannot long live with guilt. What, then, do we do? How do we rid ourselves of the guilt caused by our forgetting what we should remember? Very simply: by indifference.

Most people live in just such a way: in a permanent state of not remembering, not forgetting; not accepting, not rejecting. They remain in a continuous state of neutral non-involvement.

Indeed, very few people strongly affirm their ideals, just as very few — strongly

reject ideals. Most people just drift.

They do not tear the bonds that unite them, nor do they tie the cords that bind them. They simply look the other way. It is healthier this way, they say; it preserves their sanity.

And yet, human integrity requires that we neither avoid nor evade that which is real in our lives. We need to cast aside the emotional evils of pride, vanity and jealousy which cause us to dis-member the memories we should keep.

We need repeated opportunities to link ourselves to those beyond ourselves to whom we have connection.

We need high moments to affirm our ideals, even though most of the time we are willing to drift. We need to be reminded to re-member!

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# Beatles' TV Tour Annoys Critics

LONDON (UPI) — British critics and hundreds of television viewers grumbled in protest today over a Beatles' television spectacular that included a stripper and a medley of electric rock.

"Blatant rubbish," said one critic. Others complained it was "a great big bore," "a tedious nonsense" and "witless conceit."

The hairy quartet ranted for 50 minutes across British Broadcasting Corp. screens in a show directed and produced by them and entitled Magical Mystery Tour.

Paul McCartney was quoted as saying Wednesday: "I know it wasn't the slickest job and may have looked a bit amateur, but I still think it's

better than we try to do something ourselves, and that we try to present the viewers with something different from all the phoney tinsel of Christmas shows..."

"The criticism will do us all the good in the world. Our records have been at number one, and we had the feeling that there wasn't any challenge any more."

BBC officials said after it was over they had been swamped by calls from viewers, almost all of them irate. However they said the program, which received a week of promotional publicity and drew one of the year's biggest audiences, would be aired again in two weeks.

The plotless show was con-

ceived by Beatle Paul McCartney while returning from a visit to the United States and involved a busload of holiday merry-makers off on a "mystery" tour.

Along the way they sing and visit a military camp, a children's playground, the South Pole and a strip joint.

A shapely brunette stripped while a singer did an early Elvis Presley imitation. A "censored" sign was strategically placed to keep the stripper from complete toplessness.

The indignant Daily Sketch critic declared that the BBC official who authorized the showing should be "condemned to a year squatting at the feet of the Mahesh Maharishi yogi," an Indian mystic who counts the Beatles among his followers.

A Beatles spokesman, however, was unruffled.

"Those who failed to understand," he said, "were obviously looking for reality."

Sources said the Beatles planned to sell the film in 40 countries in hopes of earning \$2.4 million. It cost \$36,000 to produce, they said.



McCartney

## Army Copters May Move Road Victims

WASHINGTON (UPI) — U.S. military helicopters may soon be airlifting civilian traffic victims from the highway to the hospital, a transportation department official said Wednesday.

The helicopters would not be used for jobs that could be done by regular ambulances, but would be put to work in situations where they were not available or would be delayed in reaching the site of an accident.

## Substitute Leads To Prison

ORENSE, Spain (Reuters) — Eleven Spaniards were sentenced to prison Wednesday for their part in the manufacture and sale of liquors made with methylated spirits which resulted in the deaths of about 51 persons.

They were charged with crimes against public health and rash negligence in substituting the methylated spirits for ordinary alcohol.

Eight of the accused were sentenced to between 12 and 20 years, one for four years and the other two for a year.

## Meetings

- THURSDAY
- Rotary Club of Victoria, Empress, 12:10 p.m.
- Kiwanis Club of Oak Bay, Oak Bay Beach Hotel, 6:15 p.m.

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PITTSBURGH (AP) — Members of the Dave Brubeck Quartet have parted company after more than a decade.

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It had been nearly 17 years since Brubeck combined his piano and the alto sax of Paul Desmond in San Francisco.

After trying out an assortment of sidemen, the pair settled on drummer Jos Morello and bassist Gene Wright six years later.

Their Time out album sold in the millions. Take Five — played in difficult 5-4 time — rose to a lofty perch in popular music ratings.

Brubeck said the group's breakup was a unanimous desire to branch into something else and end their vagabond existence.

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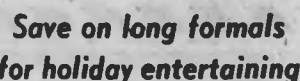
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Girls' Rayoned Briefs-White cotton knit, band leg, elasticated.	Socks, 2 for 1.00	
Boys' Suspenders-Cotton, short and long sleeves, assorted colors. 4-6x.	Socks, 2 for 1.25	
Girls' Slings-White, beige, blue, brown denim cord. Half button waist. 1-2x.	Socks, 2 for 1.25	
Boys' Socks-White only, drill, half house wald. 4-6x.	Sale, 2.64 to 2.94	
	Sale, pair 2.15	

THE BAY, Girls' and children's wear, 1500 Broadway

Discontinued Navy Shoes—Assorted discontinued styles in this famous brand. Girls' strap styles in brown, black leather and black nylon velvet. Reg. 7.98. Assorted sizes. Sale, pair \$5.21

Boys' Navy Boots—Sizes 2 to 6 in leather slipper and sole. Reg. 3.75. Assorted sizes. Sale, pair \$1.99

Children's Slippers—Assorted styles and colours. Broken shoes. Reg. 2.45 to 4.95. Sale, pair 2.45

The RAY, children's shoes, 2nd

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**Men's 3-Pcs.** **Small** All-wool worsteds, 3-button, single-breasted. Blue, brown or grey. **Sizes:** Reg. & 3T: 3. 3S: 1. 4S: 1; 4L: 1; 4XL: 2; 4S: 4; short: 1. 3T: 4. 4L: 2. Reg. **Small.** **Male, each \$29.95**  
**Men's Button-down** 3-Pcs. **Small** Fine quality Venetians, double buttoned, 3-button, single-breasted. Grey, brown or blue. **Sizes:** Reg. & 3T: 1. 3S: 3; 3L: 2; 4L: 1; 4XL: 2; 4S: 4; short: 1. 3T: 4. 4L: 2. Reg. **Small.** **Male, each \$29.95**  
**Men's Shirts** Self-supporting worsted, wide shawl, plain front, mair, wool and dacron. Brown and grey. **Sizes** 38-48. **Male, pair \$12.95**  
**Reg. \$23.75**  
**THE BAY, men's clothing.**

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Men's Vest, Tie and Puff-Tie—Polyester and rayon. 100% polyester. Stripes, paisleys and plaids. Reg. 1.53-3.39.

Men's Necktie—Cotton, blue, maroon, black. Long and regular lengths. Reg. 82¢.

Assorted Giftware—Assorted bracelets, jewelry, bar accessories, lanterns and more. Reg. 1.99-2.99.

Men's Bow Tie—Brand name polyester clip-on, stripes, plaids. Reg. each 41¢.

Sport Shirts—Cotton and cotton blends. Regular and button-down, long-sleeved and some short-sleeved. Assorted colors in plaids, fancies and stripes. Reg. 4.95-5 L col. Reg. 3.99-4.95.

Men's Shirts—Cotton and cotton blends in assorted white, yellow, stripes and fancies. Regular and button-down collars, some short-sleeved. Reg. 4.95-5 L col. Reg. 3.99-4.95.

Assorted Jumpsuits and Bedding Shirts—Plaids, fancies and plaids. Cotton brushed denim, cotton blends. Western designs. Short, wool like shirts. Reg. 5.95-6 L col. Reg. 3.99-4.95.

The BAY, men's furnishings.

Men's Quality Shoes—Simple leather uppers, quality leather or No. 10 sole. Black or brown. Sizes 6-12 coll. Group 1 were 2.95. New 3.00.

Group 11 were 14.95-15.95. New 9.99.

Men's Quality Shoes—Sturdy leather uppers, rubber sole. Brown or black. Broken size range. Were 14.95. Sale, pair 7.95.

After-Shirt or Cuffing Bands—Black leather uppers, foam sole, sheepskin. Sizes 6-12. Were 13.95. Sale, pair 7.95.

Yardbirds—Black rubber with white sole. Broken size range. Were 9.95. Sale, pair 6.95.

Men's Work Shoes and Boots—Sturdy leather uppers, composition sole. Assorted styles. Broken size range.

Group One—Were 12.95 to 14.95. Sale, pair 4.95.

Group Two—Were 9.95 to 8.75.

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Golf Accessories—Locker valets, utility brushes, ball gauges, cap replacers, golf grips. Wholesale. See No. 3.75.      **Sale, each \$4.99 to 5.99.**  
 Humming Bird Chime—Mostly left-hand. Woods.      **Sale, each \$4.99 to 5.99.**  
 Irons.      **Sale, 2.99.**  
 Set of 3 Golf Head Covers—Limited quantities.      **Sale, 4.99. Sale, net 2.99.**  
 Assorted Fishing Supplies—including 3/4" fly reel; bait-casting line, 15 lb. test, 25 yd. and 25 lb. test; gold coloured Alaskan trolling plug; streamer fishing plug; barometer. Small Kamuro No. 3. Try Local plugs.      **Sale, 3.99 to 5.99.**  
 Fishing Plug—Broken size assortment.      **Sale, 12.99. Sale, pair 9.99.**  
 The BAY, sporting goods, house

Remington-Union model 1200, pump action, 20-gauge. 1 only.  
 Sale, \$9.95  
 Gun Cleaning Swabs—10, 20 and 410-gauge. Sale, each 10¢  
 Crossman Air Pistol—Model 137. 1 only. Sale, \$12.95  
 Bernard Boat Numbers and Letters—25c. Limited selection.  
 Sale, each \$6.95

The RAY sporting goods buyer needs

**Faint-Glass-Flashes**-Light acts, glow and sparkle, indistinct, etc.      Sals, 50% Off.

**Froster Supplies-Tapes** Was 49c. Barg. Were 48c to 1.60.

**Washbasins and Giltware**-Assorted pieces: trays, milk and pepper shakers, salt and pepper shakers, etc. Were 1.80 to 14.95.      Sals, 50%-Thrd Off.

**Mixed Metals**-All sizes and colours. Were 60c to 4.38. Sals, 50%-Thrd Off.

**Pastewares-Stainless steel** paper dispenser, 1 only; Was 11.98; canned meat can, 2 only; Was 18.95, bread box, 1 only; Was 14.95; toaster, 1 only; Was 12.95; coffee maker, 1 only; Was 8.92; paper dispenser, 1 only; Was 8.95.      Sals, all 50%-Thrd Off.

**Firecrackers-Braze** and black with hood. M'K<sup>35</sup> 35¢.      Sals, each \$33.95.

**Window Cleaner**-Gets windows sparkling clean. Was 49c. Sals, each 80¢.

**Wax Strippers**-Removes wax easily. Was 50c.      Sals, each 75¢.

**THE RAY, INCORPORATED**

**WOMEN'S WEAR**

Ladies' Handbags—Assorted styles. Black patent. Black or brown leather. Were 2.57 to 4.57. Sale, each 1.99

Ladies' Cotton muslin—Assorted darker shades. Sizes 10-16. Were \$2. Sale, each 1.39

Ladies' Hosiery—Good assortment of styles in assorted colours. Rain and shine coats. Sizes 8 to 18. Were 12.25. Sale, each 9.99

Men's Aston Shoes—Leather uppers, Neolite soles. Black colors. Broken sizes and style range. Sims 6-12 coll. Were 6.99 Sale, pair 4.99

Tenners' Flats—Black patent. Choice of 3 styles. Broken sizes 4-12. Were 3.99 Sale, pair 2.49

**MEN'S AND BOYS' WEAR**

Men's Scotch Broom Pants—Kedra slim cut, belt holes.  
Crushed denim in blue or wine. Males, each \$5.97.

Men's Broom Ties—Kedra, 100% wool, 2 1/2" wide, 100  
inches long. \$4.97.

Men's Anorak Rain-All-wool, one-pant suit. Assorted plain  
colors. Sized cut. 6 only. Were \$3.97. Sale, just 2.99.

Men's Turban Rain-Shorts and long sleeves. Assorted  
White, blue, tan. Broken down. Were 4.97. Sale, each 3.99.

Boys' Cotton Shirts—Short and long sleeves. Assorted  
colors in plaid and flannel. Sizes 8-16. Were 1.97 to 2.25.  
Sale, each .99.

Men's Cotton Sport Shirts—Short and long sleeves, regular  
color styles. Assorted colors in plaid and flannel. Sizes  
12-16. Were 2.97 to 3.49. Sale, each 1.99.

Men's Dress Jumps—Simulated leather, suede, vinyl, plastic  
and genuine leather, warmly lined. Grey, black or brown.  
Broken sizes. Were 1.47 to 4.17. Sale, pair .99 to 2.79.

\* **Hoppy Yards**-Blue or green floral hopacking. Was \$1.87 yd. Sale, yd. **\$96**  
\* **Wadsworth-SUBS.** Double bottom. Assorted colours, patterns in cordans, cordery, cotton. Were \$30 to 35.50. Sale, each **4.00 to 6.00**.  
\* **Mammoth Bath Towels**-Good quality cotton terry in large size. Solid colours of blue, white, green, brown. Jacquered in blue, pink, yellow. Were 2.67 to 3.37. Sale, each **1.99**  
\* **The RAY, Budget Store, lower main**

**Auto Accessories**—Steel spinners, trunk lid the down, spark plug gap set, jacks, collapsible metal wheel block, magic cotton auto cleaner, chisel metal belt, back-up alarm, door safety light. Were \$15 to 18.80.  
Sals. 80¢ to 87¢.

**Assorted Hand Tools—No. 2 and No. 4** chisel handles, 6" and 8" rovers, files, tapered roller, 8" and 16" Stillson wrenches, 12" adjustable wrenches. Were \$1.00 to \$1.50.  
Sals. 80¢ to 90¢.

**Marine Paint—Limited colours.** Was 1.29 to 4.65. Sals. 80¢ to 2.00.

**Miraflex Floor Care—Gloss, satin, wax remover and thinner.** Was 1.25 to 2.85.  
Sals. 80¢ to 2.00.

**Feybrand Hoses—Assorted sizes.** Were 1.79 to 4.75.  
Sals. each 1.19 to 3.50.

**The RAY, hardware, lower**

Fine Demonstrator Vacuum Cleaners—Full warranty on all demon-  
 strators. Many one-of-a-kind, G.E. Eureka, Hoover, Sunbeam. Complete w/  
 accessories.  
 Sunbeam 635. Two-tone brown. Was \$38. 1 only. Sale, \$24.  
 Eureka Princess—Two-tone blue. Was 79.95. 1 only. Sale, \$49.  
 Eureka 606. Two-tone blue. Was 39.95. 1 only. Sale, \$24.  
 G.E. W11. Blue. Was 39.95. 1 only. Sale, \$24.

Portables—Floor demonstrator models, 19" and 22" picture tubes. Full	
reconditioned units, de luxe cabinets:	
MCA Victor 19". 1 only. Was \$150.	Each, \$110.
G-E 19"—3 only. Were \$120.	Each, each \$22.
G-E 22"—3 only. Were 200.95.	Each, each \$22.
Kentith 19"—3 only. Were 200.95.	Each, each \$22.
Kentith 22". 1 only. Was 200.95.	Each, \$22.

New machine warranty on each set. Demonstrator models, famous brands.  
**SALES:**  
**G-E 25" Colour TV—Contemporary console. Front-mounted controls. 3 only.** Sale, \$799.  
**Chairman Princess Contemporary 25" Colour TV—3 only. Were \$899.** Sale, \$799.  
**Chairman Princess Modern Provincial 25" Colour TV—3 only.** Sale, \$699.  
 (All models listed above are de luxe sets with doors on cabinets.)  
 Plus \$298 Home Trade-In on these Colour TVs.  
**The RAY, television.**

Floor clearance of demonstrator models. Manual and automatic del.	
and no-dust models. AMC and G-E brands. AMC models:	
10 cu. ft. Manual Defrost. 2 only. White. Were \$12.95	Sale, \$12.95
17 cu. ft. No-Frost. 1 only. White. Was \$39.95	Sale, \$39.95
13 cu. ft. Automatic Defrost. Left-hand only. White. 2 only. Were \$19.95	Sale, \$19.95
14 cu. ft. No-Frost. Wood vinyl. 1 only. Was \$49.95	Sale, \$49.95

Demonstrator models, new machine warranty, all de luxe models.  
G-E Sinks Oven Range-1 white, 1 copertone-anti-cleaning oven. Was \$575.00. Sale, \$325.00. Copertone. Was \$525.00. Sale, \$349.00.  
Meadel Electric Range-White, automatic even control, many de luxe features. 1 only. Was \$695.00. Sale \$399.00.  
AFC Range-Copertone. Many de luxe features. 1 only. Was \$399.00. Sale, \$199.00. 1 only. Was \$795.00. Sale, \$319.00.

G-E Automatic Washer—De luxe model with miniwash. 14-lb. load capacity only. Was \$429. Sale, \$329.  
G-E Automatic Dryer—Fully automatic setting. Large capacity. 3 or 4 cycles. Was \$269. Sale, each \$219.  
The RAY, major appliances.

Decorative Pottery Selections—Imported from Italy and Spain. Many items for example: Vases. Were 4.95. Nale, each 2.50  
 Steak Knives and Carving Sets—Made in England. Sheffield blades, stainless steel handles. Carving sets. Were 19.95 in 19.95. Sals, set 7.25 to 11.95  
 Fruit Baskets—Made in England with hobnail diamond effect design in clear glass. 1 large fruit bowl, 4 small matching fruit bowls. Sals, set 4.95  
 China Coffee Mugs—Dainty handle, ribbed styling. Red, blue, green, yellow. Sals, each 3.95  
 Decorative Glass Pieces—Vases, birds, ashtrays in green, amber, blue. For example: Decanter. Reg. 7.95. Sals, each 3.95

**THE BAY, STEWART**

**Trilobed Table Lamps**—Modern styling in greens, oranges, Grecian shapes with burnup shades. Were \$3.95. **Male, each 14.95 to 24.95**  
**Modern Table Lamps**—Traditional or modern styles in assorted shapes, sizes and colours. Mostly trilobed. Were 17.95 to 44.95. **Male, each 14.95 to 36.95**  
**Imported Wall Sconces**—Choice of three or seven-light styles, imported from Italy. Gold colour. Were \$35 to \$50. **Male, each \$45 to \$65**  
**Pictures**—Traditional and modern styles, including California College. Were 7.95 to \$125. **Male, each 3.99 to \$9.95**  
**THE BAY, lamps and pictures, 3.**

**Belgian Lamb** See **Maid Seal-Patched shawl**, 4 male, 4 females.  
See 3.98.

**Two-Size Balthaz Bedspread—Heavyweight rayon vicrome and acetate.** Patched, each \$10.98; 100% rayon, each \$12.98.

**Flannelbeds—Cotton or flannel.**

**Flannelbeds—Cream and white with colored borders.** 64"x78". all \$12.98; all \$14.98.

**Woolen**

**Pure Wool—Assorted prints in cotton terry.** With wide color border. 64"x78". all \$12.98; all \$14.98.

**Pure Wool Assorted—Twin-bed size.** With wide colored border. 60"x76". all \$12.98; all \$14.98.

**Cotton Terry Towels—Assorted colors, patterns.** Face, hand and bath sizes. Each \$2.98 to \$4.98.

**Hand Towels—Cotton.** Each \$2.98 to \$4.98.

**Fleece Mat—Imported heavy-weight jute or foam-back corduroy.** Size 13'x18'. Each \$12.98.

**Towel Rack—Wood.**

**W.C. Chamois of Bedspread—Shot silk or cotton.** Double-colored, double-patterned. Limited quantity or one-of-a-kind. Twin, double, queen or king size. Each \$12.98 to \$14.98.

**Tablecloths and Table Runners—California prints** by berry or cotton. 60"x80" or 80" round and 58"x98" rectangular and table runners. Were \$12.98 to \$14.98. Now \$4.98 to \$6.98.

**The RAY, SPECIALTY**

Quality Indian Rug—Enchanted Autumn design. Approx. 17'x5'.  
Yds. 465.55.      Beh., each 368.55.

Quality Indian Rug—Enchanted with Chinese spray. 1 only. Approx. 17'x5'.  
Yds. 433.      Beh., each 368.55.

Red-Ribbon Patterned Rug—Oriental design in wine. Approx. 17'x5' shag.  
3 only. Yds. 311.55.      Beh., each 272.55.

English Axminster Rug—Traditional design. 17'x5'. 1 only.  
Yds. 465.55.      Beh., 269.55.

English Axminster Rug—Abstract modern. 12'x5'. 1 only. Yds. 265.55.  
Beh., 218.55.

Perpetuous Pure Wool Rug—1 only, in gold. 11'x5'6". Yds. 268.55.  
Beh., 269.55.

"Gramme" Rug—Black Spanish trellis design on red background.  
1 only. Yds. 268.55.      Beh., 169.55.

Spanish "Mama" Reversible Rug—11'x5'11". 1 only. Yds. 135.55.  
Beh., 169.55.

Karavan "Astrak" Rug—Two-tone shag wool. Blue only. 3 only. Yds.  
303.95.      Beh., 269.55.

Spanish "Kashan" Rug—Red looped Acilian. 17'x5'. 1 only.  
Yds. 303.95.      Beh., 269.55.

Leo's Contemporary "Flute" Rug—Flush Acilian. Two patterns.  
1 only. Yds. 311.55.      Beh., 269.55.

Leo's Traditional "Kashan" Rug—Green loop Acilian. 12'x5'. 2 only. Yds.  
303.95.      Beh., 269.55.

Reindeer Woven Wool Rug—Reversible brown and green. 9'x5'. 1 only. Yds.  
65.55.      Beh., 30.55.

English Axminster Rug—Reproduction of an Oriental design.  
Yds. 139.55.      Beh., 120.55.

**BROADLOOM: ROLL ENDS**

Carpeting Acilian—Long End, plush patterned by Harding. Moss green.  
cutpile.      Beh., sq. yd. 7.

12' width.

Carpeting Castles Nylon—Gold or moss green. 23 sq. yds. Yds. 16.55.  
Beh., 12.55.

12' width.

Woolen and Castles Flannel Nylon—Pine green. 23 sq. yds. Yds. 16.55.  
Beh., sq. yd. 8.

12' width.

Knottworth Wool Trunk—57" wide in space only. 48 lbs. yds. Yds. 11.55.  
Beh., sq. yd. 8.

Beauch Main—37" wide in green only. 28 lbs. Yds. Yds. 7.55.  
Beh., sq. yd. 8.

THE RAY, three versions.

## Upholstered Furniture Specials:

Plush Sofa—Blue/green, tufted back. 17' inside measure. 1 only. **Was \$419. Sale \$319.**  
 Plush Sofa—Jacobean base. Plush green and ivory, loose-cushion style. 17' inside measure. 1 only. **Was \$449. Sale \$349.**  
 Traditional Plush Sofa—Green and red, loose-cushion style. 17' inside measure. 1 only. **Was \$399. Sale \$299.**  
 Modern Traditional Swivel Chair—Flocked construction. 1 only. **Was \$189. Sale \$139.**  
 Modern Tub Chair—By Small & Boyes. Moss green. 1 only. **Was \$79. Sale \$49.**  
 Modern 1st Armchair—By Bramora. Turquoise. 1 only. **Was \$99. Sale \$79.**  
 Country French Small Armchair—Red, gold strip seat. 1 only. **Was \$99. Sale \$69.**

Mahan Provincial Buffet—By Knechtel. 1 only. Was 123.98. Sale, 119.  
 Mahan Provincial Oval Extension Table—By Knechtel. 1 only. Was 139.  
 Sale, 119.  
 Mahan Provincial Armchair—By Knechtel. 2 only. Were 33.98.  
 Sale, 29.  
 Vines Solid Maple Side Chairs—3 only. Were 33.98. Sale, 24.

3-Fpn. Bedroom Suite—Italian Provincial. Dresser, mirror, 2 night table  
1 only. Was \$13.00. Sale 33%  
4-Fpn. "Royal Master" Formal Suite—Blond mahogany. 1 only.  
1000.00. Sale 4-pc. Was \$12.00. Sale 33%  
4-Fpn. "Bonnie" Country French Suite—Pecan. 1 only. Was \$12.00.  
Sale 4-pc. Suite 1049

4-Fpn. "Bar English" Bedroom Suite—With 6" radio headboard. 1  
only. Was \$11.20. Sale 4-pc. Suite 1040

Spanish Master Dresser and Mirror—"Carm Linda." 1 only. Was 26

Spanish Matching King Size Headboard—1 only. Was 10.00. Sale 33%

Italian Provincial White Bed—3" or 4" size. 2 only. Was 24.00.  
Sale 4-pc. Suite 1040

Italian Provincial Matching Bedchamber—3-drawer. 1 only. Was 8

Over 120 pairs of quality ready-made drapes. Your opportunity to save on drapes to suit your windows and your decor. These are returns, no-taken orders, alterations, broken lines and more. Here are just a few examples:

Unlined Fibreglass-Melon, patterned, pinch-pleated, 1 1/4 w by 86".  
for 17 windows. **Sale, pair \$25.95**

Unlined Cotton-Fully lined, blue multi-patterned. Pinch-pleated, 1 w by 84" long for 4 windows. **Sale, pair \$25.95**

Fibreglass Fibreglass-Melon, patterned, pinch-pleated, 1 1/4 w by 86". **Sale, pair \$24.95**

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Unlined Fibreglass-Fully lined, pinch-pleated, 1 1/4 w by 86". **Sale, pair \$25.95**

Cotton Print-Moderate style with blue motif, called "4252". **Sale, pair \$20.95**

Nubby Woven Drapes-Brown, fully lined, pinch-pleated, 3 w by 84" for 8 windows. **Were \$7.50. Sale, pair \$15.95**

Hempack Woven Drapes-Heavy weight cotton, solid color. Pinch-pleated, 3 w by 84" for 17 windows. **Sale, pair \$25.95**

Danish Drapes-For meditation, fully lined, pinch-pleated, 63" for 10-ft. windows. **Sale, pair \$44.95**

Plus many, many more . . . shop now and save!

Printed Drapes-100% rayon, blue and gold, blue gold, pinch-pleated hangings, 1 w by 84" or 1 w by 54". **Were 10.50 to 14.50. Sale, pair \$9.95**

Lined Martie Drapes-Kitchen or novelty patterns in blue, melon, gold or green cotton. Unlined, pinch-pleated, 1 w by 54". **Sale, pair \$29.95; 1 w by 54". Sale, pair \$49.95; 3 w by 54". Sale, pair \$59.95**

THE BAY, draperies, etc.





## Two Churches

### Unity Talks Bog Down

TORONTO (CP)—Merger talks between Anglican and United Church leaders have bogged down since the United Church approved the principles of union last year, an Anglican theologian said Wednesday.

He added that unity talks between Anglicans and Roman Catholics are proceeding more slowly.

Dr. Eugene Fairweather, professor of dogmatic theology at Trinity College of the University of Toronto, spoke Wednesday before leaving for Malta to take part in the Anglican-Roman Catholic joint preparatory commission. He was appointed by the Archbishop of Canterbury to participate in the discussions.

#### CATHOLICS AGREE

"During long periods of talk we haven't received much enthusiasm and there still isn't much," he said about talks with the United Church. "But we certainly have it with the Roman Catholics because of our wide areas of agreement."

Anglican-Roman Catholic talks began last Jan. 12 after Archbishop Michael Ramsey and Pope Paul VI recommended talks the year before.

#### TRI-PARTISANSHIP

"If we get a breakthrough with Rome, we would have to seize the bird in the hand, but we would continue talks with the United Church in the hope that the whole thing might become a three-way relationship."

He said the immediate goal of the talks was "some form of sacramental communion" in which members of each church would be encouraged to worship together as Christian brothers.

Dr. Fairweather said the United Church might then be invited to join with the Anglicans in a loosely knit "united church with a small u" that would be in communion with Rome on

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## One Learned English

### Anthem Lyrics Down to Eight

VANCOUVER (CP)—The Senate-Commons committee choosing a new set of lyrics for O Canada has narrowed the 500 entries down to eight, including one from a man who didn't know a word of English when he came to this country 11 years ago.

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Carpenter August Gedantz, who came to Canada from West Germany in 1956, said Wednesday he has been informed by the committee he is one of the final eight.

Gedantz said his lyrics took about a month to write after he learned English through home study. He said he decided to write the lyrics because "Canada is a fine country and one in which I like to live."

## Olive Branch, Big Stick

# RED 'VOLUNTEERS' CAMBODIA THREAT

From UPI, AP, Reuters

A threat by embattled Cambodia Wednesday to seek help from Communist "volunteers" against any U.S. troops entering Cambodian territory drew an olive branch from Washington — but a big stick from Saigon.

Cambodian head of state Prince Norodom Sihanouk spoke in his third warning to the U.S. in a week, a warning that followed Washington reports saying the U.S. is thinking about pursuit of Viet Cong and North Vietnamese who flee into Cambodia for sanctuary.

(See also Pages 3 and 5)

The U.S. reply was the disclosure of a note sent to Cambodia Dec. 4 proposing an international conference or even "informal talks" on the sanctuary problem.

But in Saigon, South Vietnamese President Thieu said that if anti-Communist troops in his country are hit by enemy fire from within Cambodia, he would pursue "indeed a military necessity."

#### FOPE CONSIDERING

Elsewhere, a Vatican source said Pope Paul may follow up his talks with President Johnson by sending a Vatican mission to North Vietnam early in 1968 to explore peace possibilities and seek humane treatment for U.S. prisoners of war.

Sihanouk said that if U.S. forces commit aggression against Cambodia, he will:

- Call on Red China, North Korea and Cuba for volunteer fighters.
- Ask Russia to urge the U.S. not to undertake any military action against Cambodia.

- Seek military equipment from China and Russia.

- Demand that the UN Security Council call an emergency meeting to hear him.

Sihanouk said his country will not allow itself to be "butchered in silence by the Americans." Then he added his only hopeful phrase: "But I am not pessimistic, as President Johnson has not yet given the green light."

U.S. officials said the Dec. 4 note underlines Washington's hope that the problem can be solved by diplomacy rather than through a widening of the war by authorizing extended military forays into Cambodia.

#### NOTHING HOSTILE

The note said the U.S. is "deeply concerned" about Communist use of Cambodian border areas but has "no hostile intentions toward Cambodia or Cambodian territory."

The note forwarded a summary of documentary evidence of Viet Cong and North Vietnamese havens on Cambodian soil and offered to supply details.

It expressed support for bolstering the International Control Commission to observe various borders in former Indochina.

#### DIRECT, INFORMAL

"In addition, the United States has supported an international conference on Cambodia, and it has also suggested direct, informal talks with Cambodian officials in order to seek an alternative remedy," the note said.

The United States is deeply concerned over the critical issue of Viet Cong-North Vietnamese use of Cambodian territory and it wishes to emphasize once more its willingness to cooperate in any reasonable way of containing this problem."

#### FIRST OF KIND

The note reassured U.S. respect for Cambodia's neutrality, sovereignty, independence and territorial integrity.

Thieu's statement in Saigon was the first of its kind from the southern president, although Foreign Minister Tran Van Do and others often have used the same words.

Thieu said: "South Vietnamese troops must fire back if

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## Czech Spy Swapped For French Artist

PARIS (UPI)—French authorities Wednesday announced a swap with Czechoslovakia of an unidentified Czech spy serving 10 years in a French prison for French artist Serge Odenbourg, 41. Odenbourg had served 10 months of a three-year prison term for letting a Czech soldier use his French passport to defect a year ago. Odenbourg was in Prague to organize a "happening."

## Truck Thieves Get \$333,365

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio (AP)—

A team of two or three men, working with split-second timing and apparently their own set of keys, escaped with more than \$330,000 Wednesday when they drove off with an armored truck from outside a department store in nearby Boardman, police reported.

Two Kane Secret Service Co. guards were in a department store for "four or five minutes," said Boardman Police Chief Don Hawkins.

"When they returned, the truck was gone," About one-half hour later the truck was found abandoned in a park. The robbers left some money behind.

"I would say it has every ap-

pearance of being an inside job," Hawkins said. The truck was found abandoned about 1 1/4 miles from where it had been parked. Hawkins estimated the total lost at \$333,365. He said the truck was carrying money on a bank transfer and also making pickups and deliveries at a shopping center, five miles south of here.

Hawkins said two guards loaded a cart with coins to deliver to the store.

"They closed the automatic locking doors on the truck. They went into the store for four or five minutes. When they returned the truck was gone."

Hawkins said the man who apparently had the key to the truck was wearing a uniform.

## Poison Hunt Exhumes Three Bodies



Gibbs

CORDELE, Ga. (UPI) — Workmen pitched a sprawling tent over a hillside cemetery plot Wednesday and dug up the bodies of three more members of the family of Mrs. Janie Lou Gibbs, charged with the arsenic murder of one of her sons.

State medical experts stood by in the tent, performing autopsies on the bodies as soon as they were exhumed.

Authorities received permission to exhume the bodies of Mrs. Gibbs' husband, Charles, who died two years ago, and her other two sons, Melvin, 16, and Mervin, 13, because "they died under unusual and suspicious circumstances and there are reasons to believe that their

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## Peasant Led Way to Hideout

# \$4,000 Betrayed Che

PARIS (CP) — The hiding place of revolutionary Ernesto (Che) Guevara was given away by a peasant who wanted a 50,000-peso (about \$4,000) reward, says the French news magazine Paris Match.

An article by French journalist Michele Ray, who earlier this year spent three weeks as a captive of the Viet Cong in South Vietnam, gives a detailed version of the last hours before Guevara died in October.

#### MOUNTAIN GORGE

Miss Ray, who spent six weeks in Bolivia researching the article, said Guevara and other guerrillas were hidden in a mountain gorge when the peasant spotted them.

The article says the peasant told the army commander at the village of La Higuera and troops surrounded the gorge Oct. 3. The army lobbed mortar shells into the area and riddled it with machine-gun bullets, it says.

"Only one solution was left up the side of the gorge, but the besieged guerrillas: To climb," Miss Ray writes.



Ray



Guevara

"Ramon (Guevara's nom de guerre) is wounded in the leg," His friend Willy helped him up the side of the gorge, but they were surrounded by soldiers, the article says.

Shortly before nightfall, it says, Willy and Guevara were taken to La Higuera, which has been surrounded by the army since the day Guevara was captured.

Miss Ray says she was unable to get to the village, but a Bolivian reporter, Jorge Torrico, got through and spoke to several inhabitants.

The article quotes a male nurse in the village as saying: "I went to examine Che. A bad wound in the leg. It was the only one. I washed it out with water and disinfectant."

The article says Guevara kicked one Bolivian officer and spat in the face of an admiral who attempted to question him.

The officer he kicked was identified only as Espinosa, who had taken the rebel leader by the hair and yanked a pipe out of his mouth for a souvenir.

#### REFUSED INFORMATION

Guevara refused to give any other information than his own name to the officers, the account says.

It says that the day after his capture, Guevara was taken to the local school and a sergeant named Mario Terran "came in, his M-2 carbine at his hip."

"Sit down," he (Terran) said. "Why, since you are going to kill me?" Che replied calmly. "No, sit down."

"His eyes lowered, avoiding the eyes of his prisoner, Terran makes as though to leave. Suddenly a burst of gunfire. Che crumples up..."

After Terran, Sub-Lt. Lerez shot him in the neck to make sure he was dead, the article says.

#### GUNFIRE DRAW

Willy and "El Maestro," another guerrilla captured with Guevara, also were shot, it says.

The report adds that after his death, Guevara was fired upon by several other soldiers who were told "not to shoot him above the waist."

The village people crowded around, drawn by the sound of gunfire, Miss Ray says.

"In 10 minutes everyone knew. And it is just for that reason that two months afterwards the village is still shut off from the outside."

## Grandma Shows Canada

Grandmother of three, Mrs. Charles Turner, 54, of Preston, Ont., this week unveiled personal costliest project—100-pound air cushion machine. Science-minded wife of air conditioning company service manager says she felt Canada is slow in developing such vehicles. She built machine with advice from husband and U.S. firms, and has already completed one test flight with federal sanction. —(CP)

## Five Years —Then Acquittal

MONTREAL (CP)—The Quebec Appeals Court Wednesday acquitted Emile Roussy, 41, of Hull, after he served nearly half of a 10-year term for a 1962 bank holdup.

The five-judge bench ruled 4-1 Roussy was convicted on "suspicious" and circumstantial evidence did not prove guilt beyond reasonable doubt. The five said the lower court judge may have been justified in rejecting Roussy's alibi, but no proof was offered that he was in the area of the crime.

## Road Tolls Change

From AP, UPI

Britain ended the five-day Christmas holiday Wednesday with 80 traffic deaths, 80 fewer than last year, and all authorities credited the new law that keeps many drinking drivers off the road.

Sweden, however, where driving moved to the right side of the road from the left in September, saw its toll jump to 14 from six.

## U.S. Navy Deserters Fed Up

# Quartet Tired of Russia

MOSCOW (AP) — Four U.S. navy deserters who came to Moscow to protest the Vietnamese war told a chance acquaintance Wednesday they are "fed up with Russia."

The deserters, who jumped ship in Japan in October, said they are anxious to get to Sweden and settle down with steady jobs. They said they hope to go in a week or two.

The Swedish embassy, asked whether the sailors had applied for visas, said only: "We have no news of them."

The young sailors chatted openly in Moscow's Gorky Park with an English-speaking member of the diplomatic community while skating on one of the park's frozen ponds. The sailors approached the woman

after they heard her speaking English to friends. She said they told her they were being kept in a private house about two miles outside of Moscow and were not allowed to move about freely.

The sailors are Craig Anderson, 20, of San Jose, Calif.; John Barilla, 20, of Cotonsville, Md.; Richard Bailey, 19, of Jacksonville, Fla., and Michael Lindner, 19, of Mount Pocono, Pa. They have not seen western correspondents since their arrival.

The Soviet Peace Committee, which has been handling them, has turned away reporters with the explanation they did not want to meet western journalists.

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# Black Hawks Find Out Bruins Are for Real

Boston Bruins last night appeared to provide a convincing answer for the National Hockey League question of the season.

They are for real. Although they did no better than 2-4 during the stretch in which Bobby Orr recovered from a broken collarbone and were caught by Chicago Black Hawks, the Bruins are flying again and scoring goals at a pace unmatched by any NHL team.

Last night, with their big line of Fred Stanfield-John Bucyk-John McKenzie managing only one assist, the Bruins put an end to an unbeaten streak which had reached 10 games by defeating the Hawks, 7-2 before 13,900 ecstatic Boston fans.

**ROOKIE IN GOAL**  
It was the third straight win for the Bruins, a streak in which they had to go with rookie Andre Gill in goal following injuries to Ed Johnston and Gerry Cheevers, and it

playing to a 2-2 tie with Montreal Canadiens in a wide-open, entertaining game in Toronto.

Despite the wide-open action, it took more than 44 minutes before a goal was scored. Toronto-veteran Johnny Bower and Montreal's Gump Worsley escaped time and again, either through brilliant puck-blocking or close to unbelievable luck, before defensive lapses allowed the Leafs to take a 2-0 lead.

George Armstrong, who scored only nine goals last season, got his 10th this season on a quick shot after the puck was passed out from behind the Montreal goal. Then Pete Stenkowski, getting the puck from Terry Harper at the Montreal blue-line beat Worsley with a stinging shot which found a small opening between the upright and Worsley's pads.

Apparently beaten, Canadiens came back to get a point when rookie Denny Grant and Jean

Beliveau scored 91 seconds apart in the final four minutes.

Grant got his goal by coming up fast to fire in the rebound off a shot taken by Bobby Rousseau and Beliveau chipped in a pass from Claude Provost when he was left unmarked in front of Bower.

Canadiens started the game without Ralph Backstrom and Yvan Cournoyer, both injured, and lost Henri Richard near the end of the first period. Richard received a knee injury when he was checked by Tim Horton. Extent of the injury was not immediately known but the speedy veteran was unable to get back into the game.

**SNAP GOAL FAMINE**  
Minnesota North Stars finally ended their scoring famine in New York, rapping in three goals in three minutes and 36 seconds during the third period in New York to gain a 3-3 tie with the Rangers.

Ray Cullen was the architect

of the sudden rally, scoring the first and third goals and setting up Parker MacDonald for the second. Cullen's first goal ended a scoreless Minnesota streak at 229 minutes and 49 seconds.

The sudden onslaught almost beat the Rangers, who had taken a 2-0 first-period lead on goals by Rod Gilbert and Reg Fleming. Gilbert then tied it with 72 seconds left with his 11th goal of the season and his sixth in the last five games.

**SCORELESS TIE**  
In Pittsburgh, where 6,039 fans watched, the Penguins and Oakland Seals played the first scoreless tie of the season. It was the third shutout of the season for Pittsburgh's starry Les Binkley and the first for Oakland-rookie Gary Smith, who played brilliantly in handling 34 shots without a miss.

The point moved Penguins within four points of the lead, shared by Los Angeles Kings and Philadelphia Flyers.

Kings missed a chance to go ahead in last night's fifth game, losing 2-4, in St. Louis to the Blues, who are now within four points of fourth place in the Western Division.

Bob Sabourin scored in the second period and again in the third period to give Blues a 2-1 lead after Kings had gone ahead on a first-period scoring shot by Terry Gray.

Gerry Melnyk increased the margin to 3-1 and Don McKenzie shot the clincher after Ed Joyal had brought Kings back within one goal.

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**CHICAGO 5, BOSTON 7**

**FIRST PERIOD**  
1. Chicago, Mohs (14) (Wharram, Pilote) 3:32.  
2. Boston, Kapostol (13) (McKenzie, Williams) 8:38.  
3. Boston, Westfall (2) (Sanderstrom, Avery) 14:28.  
4. Boston, Williams (12) (Hodge, Espalio) 18:23.

**SECOND PERIOD**  
1. Boston, Shuck (14) (Green) 10:38.  
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**THIRD PERIOD**  
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**MONTEREAL 3, TORONTO 5**

**FIRST PERIOD**  
No scoring.  
Penalties—Stenkowski (7) 3:34, 15:48; Grant (14) 1:14; Harper (14) 1:14; Vachon (14) 1:14; Mahovlich (7) 1:14.

**SECOND PERIOD**  
No scoring.  
Penalties—Ferguson (14) (Horton) 5:27; Grant (14) 10:38.  
**THIRD PERIOD**  
1. Montreal, Armstrong (10) (Keon, Mahovlich) 4:05.  
2. Toronto, Stenkowski (14) (Papaleo) 11:38.  
3. Montreal, Grant (14) (Rousseau, Harris) 15:13.  
4. Montreal, Beliveau (13) (Prevost) 17:54.

**MINNESOTA 2, NEW YORK 3**

**FIRST PERIOD**  
1. New York, Rastala (9) (Gilbert, Jeffrey) 1:25.  
2. New York, Fleming (14) (Stewart, Marshall) 7:57.  
Penalty—Woytowich (14) 8:58.

**SECOND PERIOD**  
No scoring.  
Penalties—Newell (NY) 7:57; MacDonald (14) 14:54; Jeffrey (NY) 15:47.  
**THIRD PERIOD**  
1. Minnesota, Cullen (9) (Boudrias) 1:14.  
2. Minnesota, MacDonald (6) (Cullen, Boudrias) 1:14.  
3. Minnesota, Cullen (9) (Boudrias, MacDonald) 1:14.  
4. Minnesota, MacDonald (6) (Cullen, Boudrias) 1:14.

**OAKLAND 6, PITTSBURGH 6**

**FIRST PERIOD**  
Penalties—Bass (1) 1:30; Belovin 7:58; Boyer (14) 10:38.  
**SECOND PERIOD**  
No scoring.  
Penalties—Laughton (1) 1:13.  
**THIRD PERIOD**  
1. Oakland, Stratton (1) 1:21; Schindler (14) 1:21.  
2. Pittsburgh, (14) 1:21.  
3. Oakland, (14) 1:21.  
4. Pittsburgh, (14) 1:21.

**LOS ANGELES 3, ST. LOUIS 4**

**FIRST PERIOD**  
1. Los Angeles, Gray (8) (Hughes) 1:14.  
Penalties—Smith (LA) 3:14; Adams (LA) 3:14; Smith (LA) 3:14.  
**SECOND PERIOD**  
1. St. Louis, Sabourin (3) (Crisp) 1:14.  
Penalties—Picard (SL) 10:41; Flett (LA) 11:44; Flett (LA) 11:44.  
**THIRD PERIOD**  
1. St. Louis, Sabourin (3) (Crisp) 1:14.  
2. Los Angeles, Joyal (14) (Flett, Wall) 1:14.  
3. St. Louis, Sabourin (3) (Crisp) 1:14.  
4. Los Angeles, Joyal (14) (Flett, Wall) 1:14.

**VICTORIA 4, WESTMINSTER 4**

**FIRST PERIOD**  
1.33. Victoria, Mitchell (Williams, Gow) 1:33.  
2.33. Victoria, Gow (Mitchell, Evans) 1:33.  
3.33. New Westminster, Watson (Wallis, Allen) 1:33.  
4.33. New Westminster, McGill (Dorsey, Lawless) 1:33.

**SECOND PERIOD**  
No scoring.  
Penalties—Kilpatrick (B) 1:31.  
**THIRD PERIOD**  
No scoring.  
Penalties—Huculak (S) and Lund (S) 1:31.  
**OVERTIME**  
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Esposito (7) scores despite efforts of DeJordy and Pat Stapleton

## Ouija Predicts Cougar Surge

By KEVAN HULL  
Victoria coach Doug Anderson still doesn't really believe it.

He does hope, however, that the following Cougars' 4-3 victory over New Westminster Royals in B.C. Junior Hockey League play Wednesday at Memorial Arena before 1,502 fans.

Anderson's daughter Debra was given a Ouija-Board for Christmas.

She tried it for answers about the Cougars on Tuesday and

was informed that the Cougars would score four goals last night and win the game.

"I still don't believe it," Anderson said, but he's hoping that the thing really works because a second-place finish for the Cougars was also predicted.

And that would almost have to be magical.

Victory lifted the Cougars to within seven points of Royals, who currently hold down the fourth playoff spot, four points

behind the second-place Kamloops Rockets.

Cougars have 17 games left, including a three-games-in-three days road trip to the interior this weekend, while Royals have 19 games left.

**MEIVOS GETS WINNER**  
Early defenseman Al McIvor made the first prediction come true.

Off to a slow start this season, the Nanaimo product made up for some early mistakes when he made a brilliant rush to score the winning goal at 17:15 of the third period.

McIvor got the puck at his own blue line, broke past three defenders and crashed into Royals' goalkeeper Al Lang, sliding the puck into the net.

It was a well-earned win for the Cougars, who showed a spirit that had been lacking for some time. They refused to fold after Royals overcame an early 2-0 lead to go ahead, 3-2, at the end of the first period and their determination was rewarded.

**LAST EARLY LEAD**  
Terry Mitchell sparked Cougars in the early minutes, scoring the first goal and then setting up Greg Gow at 2:26.

Royals came back with goals by George Watson, an outstanding performer throughout, Bruce McGill and Barry Wilcox.

McIvor's defence partner Greg Evans tied the game with a shot from the point at 7:59 of the second period.

New Westminster appeared to have gone ahead, 4-3, at 14:20 of the third period when Ray Wallis put the puck in the Victoria net but referee Henry Hincle disallowed the goal as Wilcox was standing in the crease.

**REGULARS MISSING**  
Cougars, who were without vacationing Murray Finlay, Garth Greig, Bill Mainland and John Van Horick, received fine performances from the Mitchell, Gow-Dave Williams line and juvenile Laurie Bennett.

Bennett was left behind by Victoria Nixon's Truckers who are playing exhibition games in Calgary. He played a steady game and made a great shift behind the Royal net to pass out in front and only a fantastic save by Lang stopped Dennis Ferril from completing the play.

Ron Grahame blocked 37 shots in the Victoria net including 16 in the final period while the steady Lang stopped 25.

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## SOLAR TABLES

WHEN TO FISH OR HUNT  
by Richard Alden Knight

According to the Solar Tables calculated for this area, the best times for hunting and fishing today and tomorrow will be as follows (Times shown are Pacific Standard Time):

**TODAY**  
AM Major Minor PM Major  
4:25 8:15 2:10 8:45

**TOMORROW**  
5:35 9:10 2:50 9:45

Major Solar periods, lasting 1 1/2 to 2 hours, dark type.  
Minor periods, shorter in duration, light type.

## British Racing Resumes

LONDON (AP) — The government said Wednesday that horse racing — at a standstill since Nov. 25 because of the foot and mouth disease outbreak — will be resumed next week.

The first program will be at Sandown Park Jan. 5. Others will follow at Kempton Park, Newcastle and Totesville Park. However, horses stabled in the areas hit by the disease will not be allowed to compete.

## ISU Star Suspended

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — "With the Sugar Bowl just five days off, Louisiana State coach Charlie McClendon has lost his No. 1 fullback, Eddie Ray.

Ray, the Southeastern Conference's top punter with a 42.9-yard average was suspended from school by the disciplinary committee.

McClendon shifted the No. 2 fullback, Kenney Newfield, in to fill the gap.

Working coach Lloyd Eaton, whose Cowboys meet LSU in the 34th Sugar Bowl here New Year's Day said, "I know Ray's loss is a great blow to LSU, but they've got such tremendous depth and so many fine backs that I don't know if it will really make a big difference."

## Hockey Scores

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
Rochester 2, Buffalo 3.  
Quebec 2, Hershey 2.

**INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE**  
Tulsa 4, Des Moines 2.  
Muskegon 4, Columbus 2.

**EASTERN LEAGUE**  
Nashville 6, Greensboro 4.  
Oklahoma City 3, Tulsa 2.  
Dallas 4, Kansas City 0.

**NORTHERN ONTARIO JUNIOR**  
North Bay 4, Sudbury 2.  
Carleton Place 1, Espanola 6.

**ONTARIO SENIOR**  
Galt 5, Oakville 4.

**CAPITOL JUNIOR**  
New Haven 4, Long Island 2.  
Sydney 3, Glace Bay 7.

**TRINITY BAY JUNIOR**  
Fort Frances 3, Westfort 3.

**WESTERN JUNIOR**  
Regina 2, Edmonton 2.  
Saskatoon 3, Calgary 6.

## 'I'm Bad Loser' — Mets' New GM

By MILTON ROEMANN

NEW YORK (UPI) — Johnny Murphy didn't monkey around. Doesn't believe in it and never did.

As the Yankees' relief ace back in the 30's and 40's, he'd amble in from the bullpen with that long stride of his, stomping down the dirt on the mound two or three times, look in for his sign and whoosh, strike one, strike two, strike three.

No fuss, not bother, no sweat.

**MESSAGE RECEIVED**

He went about it the same way in his first order of business as the Mets' new general manager Wednesday. Speaking in one of the huge dining rooms at Shea Stadium where a news conference had been called to announce he was succeeding King Devine, Murphy had a two-word message for Gil Hodges.

Get tough.

"I heard him," said the Mets' manager afterward.

Hodges couldn't help but. He was sitting only two feet away. "I'm a bad loser," said Murphy when he got up to speak. "I've always been fortunate to have been with a winner or with a club near the top."

Not lately though. Not with the Mets anyway.

**YEARS WITH WINNERS**  
Murphy was referring to the years he was with the Yankees, a period in which he was involved in seven pennants and six World Championships.

Murphy made it plain he feels the Mets' players not only have been lacking a winning spirit but also a firm hand to guide them. He cited the rise of the Red Sox as an example of what he meant.

"People keep asking what got into the Red Sox this year," said Murphy. "Well, there's a little doubt that a winning spirit was instilled by manager Dick Williams. He made them toe the mark and I think ballplayers have to toe the mark. When a fellow like George Scott went up to 220 pounds, Williams said he wasn't going to play for him until he got down to 200 and he made it stick."

**MCCARTHY BEST EVER**

In Murphy's book, Joe McCarthy, the man whom he played for most of his career, was the best manager in baseball. McCarthy wouldn't put up with any nonsense.

Once with the Yankees, one of his pitchers slouched down on the bench and stuck his feet far out on the dugout floor during a one-sided ball game. The old man happened to notice it.

"Sit up straight and pull your feet in," commanded McCarthy. "Where do you think you are, in a rowboat?"

**NO EXCEPTIONS**

Murphy holds a diploma from Fordham University but he really belongs to the McCarthy School.

"When a manager says he wants everybody in uniform by 11 o'clock that should mean

everybody without any exceptions," Murphy explained in his office later on. "I don't believe in exceptions. When a manager sets a curfew two hours after a game that should be it. No exceptions. And when a pitcher gets knocked out in the fourth inning, he should stay around and not go home. You'd be surprised how things like that can make a big difference in the club's entire attitude."

Under their last manager, Wes Westrum, the Mets were loose. At times, too loose. Wes is an excellent baseball man and all the players liked him. The only time players like a manager is when he lets them

have their way, however. And Westrum more or less did because he didn't believe in being tough. Wes Westrum is a gentleman and it showed through everything he did. Sometimes that's a lot more important than being a good manager.

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In a way Gil Hodges is cut from the same mold. Johnny Murphy wants Gil Hodges to be tough but Gil Hodges isn't built that way.

"I believe in treating everybody as a man," Hodges explained after Wednesday's get-together had broken up. "I expect every player to conduct himself like a major leaguer."

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"If he doesn't," said Hodges, "then I have to do something about it. But I'm not what you'd call a real tough individual."

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Still, he has a way of getting his point across. There was a player he was platooning in Washington and one day that player came up to Hodges and said:

"I kinda hoped I'd get a chance to play against both left-handed and right-handed pitching, and I was wondering what my chances are of doing that?"

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## Totems on Top

# Lund Scores Overtime Goal

the puck through Gull netminder Dave Kelly's legs.

Up to that point, Kelly and Seattle goalie Don Head had waged a fierce battle in keeping both clubs scoreless. Kelly had 27 saves and Head 22 for the night.

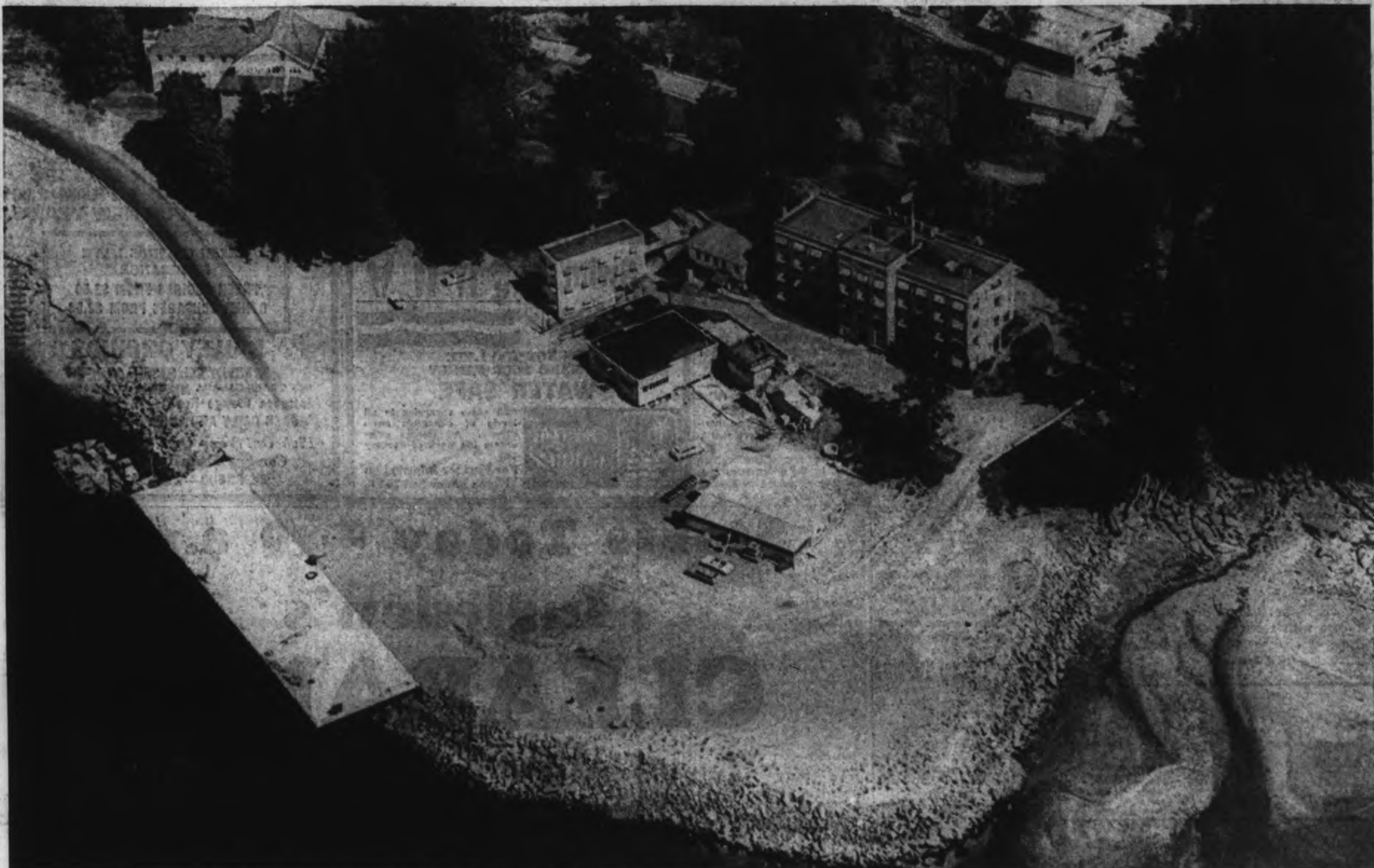
Lund and San Diego's Dennis Huculak engaged in a few fist cuffs in the third period. With Seattle on the attack and Lund in front of the net, Huculak banged him into the crosspiece of the goal. The collision jarred the net loose, and both players started swinging.

Each was given a minor penalty.

**FIRST PERIOD**  
No scoring.  
Penalties—Evans (SD) 2:35; Ward (S) 5:35.

**SECOND PERIOD**  
No scoring.  
Penalties—Huculak (S) and Lund (S) 1





## MLA's Christmas Gift, More Safety for Youth

PORT ALBERNI — MLA Dr. Howard McDiarmid had good news for safety-conscious school children, parents and educators in the Alberni Valley.

Dr. McDiarmid said he had been taken on a tour of various areas of the valley by Ald. John Williamson on a visit to the city some weeks ago.

As a result, he took action and has received word from district highways superintendent John Morris that work will be done to promote safety for youngsters walking to and from the Gill School and the A. W. Neill Junior Secondary School.

While the city has provided sidewalks on its side of the route to the secondary school, that part which is outside the city limits has no sidewalks.

The road in front of the school marks the boundary between city and unorganized district.

The highways department plan is to provide shoulder widening and walkways on Compton and Beaver Creek roads adjacent to the two schools.

The pavement is to be widened and a yellow line provided to mark the portion to be used by vehicles. This type of marking is a noticeable feature of much of the broad highway surface in the Comox-Courtenay area.

According to officials, the work in the vicinity of A. W. Neill School can be started at once, but in the Gill School area, B.C. Hydro and B.C. Telephone companies will each be required to move one pole.

The narrow two-lane approach

to Gill School, with visual access obstructed by an abrupt rise in the road and lack of cleared space for children to walk, has been a source of worry to both parents and motorists for a considerable time.

## A-Building We Will Go

Construction has already begun on the three storey, \$3,500,000 addition to the Biological Station (above). The resulting 29,000 square feet of office and laboratory space will make the station one of the largest on the continent, instead of only being the largest of the Fisheries Research Board of Canada as is the present building. New trenches are being prepared and old service lines are being routed to them.

## Longshoreman Drowns After Crash on Dock

NANAIMO—A driver was drowned Wednesday afternoon when his vehicle plunged into 40 feet of water from a crash on the dock.

Thomas Frederick Bradley, 40, was in his panel van when it collided with a lumber carrier.

One of the workers at B berth on the assembly wharf, Phil Wolras said, "We were all working aboard ship when it happened."

"We rushed over, but all you could see was bubbles."

Mr. Bradley was an employee of Candian Stevedoring. The carrier was driven by Donald Gordon Watson, Saltair.

Skindiver Sonny Hodgson of Nanaimo Diver Service was called immediately.

He recovered the body about half an hour later, taking it aboard the tug Cowichan. Efforts by Nanaimo firemen to revive Mr. Bradley failed.

A huge crane from John Gorosh Ltd. was brought to the accident scene. It recovered the van shortly after.

## Christmas Guns Out of Action

LADYSMITH—Two Ladysmith boys who received air rifles for Christmas had them confiscated Wednesday for firing them indiscriminately in an alley in town.

Police said they received a complaint the boys, aged 14 and 15, had been firing the pellet guns in an alley at random.

They said the guns had been confiscated to the Crown but that no charges would be laid.

An RCMP officer said no one under 18 is allowed to use any type of gun unless accompanied by an adult.

Any person under 14 must obtain a special permit from police in order to have a gun in his possession.

The RCMP officer added, "It is also an offence to give any child under 14 a pellet, a BB or a .22 bullet, let alone a gun, unless a permit is obtained."

"This offence can bring a fine of up to \$500 or six months in jail."

He said many parents do not know about these laws."

## Norway's Big Ross Sea Given Closing Honors

PORT ALBERNI — The last ship to be honored in 1967 by the Port Alberni Harbor Commission for docking here on her maiden voyage was the Norwegian bulk carrier Mv Ross Sea.

It has been the custom for some time for members of the commission to present the master of each ship with a gift to mark the occasion.

The gift is usually a hand-made Indian sweater, knitted by Mrs. Allan Ross, a native of Port Alberni.

Skipper of the Ross Sea, Capt. Eivind Wallestad, was given the gift by commission chairman Dennis O'Brien, who welcomed the captain and crew to the port.

Also present was Mayor Les Hammer who made an address of welcome on behalf of the city.

The \$4,500,000 carrier was built in Japan for I. S. Rosshavet Shipping Co. of Sandefjord, Norway.

Following its launching in June, it was completed on Nov. 30.

The Ross Sea arrived in ballast. The first half of her journey to Port Alberni was perfect, but rough weather during the second half made it necessary for 5,000 tons of ballast to be added.

Despite the increase, the ship was able to retain her top speed of 17½ knots, Capt. Wallestad said.

The 34 Norwegian crew members were accompanied by two engineers from the builders, who will stay with the ship during her first year of operation.

Gross weight of the Ross Sea is 15,704 tons, length 572 feet and width 74 feet.

After loading lumber at Port Alberni the ship left for additional cargo at Harmae.

## Indians Trained

TORONTO (CP) — A railway college for Canada's Indians is expected to begin travelling among reserves in eastern and central Canada next July, a Company of Young Canadians official announced Wednesday.

## More News Of Island On Page 20



McDiarmid

## Island Scene

Donald Brothers, MLA and provincial mines minister, has been invited to be guest speaker at the installation ceremony and banquet of the Alberni Valley Chamber of Commerce on Jan. 20. The announcement was made by outgoing president Al Parker.

Fraa Wharries, who was born and raised in Nanaimo, sells real estate. She has recently bought a new color television set.

Bela Harder was a Duncan alderman candidate, and was elected to a seat on council.

Rev. Father T. L. MacKay, principal of Christies Residential School on the west coast, has had back surgery in St. Vincent's Hospital, Vancouver.

Jack McLeod was Santa Claus at a Wil-

low Point Christmas party. Wallace Balkie was chef in charge of producing the turkey dinner.

Mickey Sharp, Chemainus, has expressed concern about internal difficulties the newly-formed Cowichan Valley regional board has experienced.

Enama and Roy Baddorf of Port Alberni received a congratulatory telegram from Queen Elizabeth over the Christmas period when they were celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary.

Premier Bennett and Prime Minister Pearson sent letters of congratulations.

Mayor Les Hammer also sent a message of congratulations on behalf of Valley residents.

Tom Chalmers has retired from the Chemainus sawmill after 20 years service.



Harder

## Gold River Boss Hits Pollution

## 'Smoke Laws Need Teeth'

Jack Christensen, whose Tahsis company has set an anti-pollution pattern in the pulp industry, called Wednesday for a chair of pollution at the University of British Columbia.

Mr. Christensen, Tahsis president and a determined anti-pollutionist, said British Columbia needs at least 20 professional pollution experts now, instead of the handful "doing their best but not specifically trained."

Pollution experts should be trained at the university, he said, so they could take their place alongside other professional engineers.

He favors pollution laws "with teeth in them" to curb contamination of air and water by industrial and human waste.

Christensen, a 50-year-old non-smoker, is annoyed if the

mountains across Vancouver harbor are obscured by smoke when he looks out the windows of his eighth-floor office atop the East Asiatic Building.

In B.C., where pulp mills and pollution are almost synonymous, the 750-ton-a-day Tahsis kraft mill at Gold River is an example of what can be done to improve the industry's image and the individual's well-being.

"We are extremely aware of the sports fishing potential of the Gold River and the waters of Muchlay Inlet at its mouth," Mr. Christensen said in 1965 when plans for the new mill were announced.

"We are determined to preserve them, just as we are determined to keep the whole of the Gold River valley as healthy and desirable a place to live and work as possible."

To this end, Tahsis spent more than \$3,000,000 on more



Christensen

than a dozen specific "keep it clean" measures at the \$35,000,000 mill, working on a theory that the only effective way to curb pollution is to deal with each waste stream at its source. Although much of the waste thus caught is re-used, only about \$500,000 of the \$3,000,000 can be justified by economic returns.

One of the more costly developments is a 7,100-foot \$300,000 tunnel that carries the mill's final waste stream deep into sea water away from the mouth of the Gold River.

The tunnel was planned in cooperation with the federal department of fisheries and drilled through solid rock. Gold River itself is a model all-electric community with paved streets, underground power, telephone and television cables and a \$200,000 secondary sewage treatment plant.



# Cameron's Santa Shocked by Sir Mitch

PORT ALBERNI — Tom Colin Cameron, member for Nanaimo, Mr. Barnett said, "The other rather weird looking character with a halo, labelled Sir Mitch turned out to be Reld Scott, member for Toronto-Danforth."

The two, to the accompaniment of Christmas songs on a piano, intoned a dialogue which presented a conflict between the spirit of Christmas and the finance minister, who found it

necessary to deliver his tax increases almost on Christmas Eve.

The skit is called Sir Mitch in Blunderland or A Merry Centennial Christmas to You Too.

"It was too bad Mitchell Sharp was not there to witness the performance, for despite his sanctimonious public presence, he is quite capable of a chuckle about himself behind scenes," the MP for Comox-Alberni said.

It appears you have ruined my season.

You are killing the spirit of Christmas I fear.

Tell me now, have you got a good reason?

You are old Father Christmas (Sir Mitch said with scorn) And with old things we really must break;

Your giving-at-Christmas, is really passe.

With a wife and a family to feed,

Has to slave everyday, and struggle and scrape.

For the money his family does need.

★ ★ ★

Allow them the money? (Sir Mitch loftily sneered)

It would start a most dangerous drift.

These people, I feel, must remember their place.

I must teach them the virtue of thrift.

Just to pounce on the poor and the weak.

With so many of them, could it threaten your chance

When a future election you seek?

That's how little you know (cried Sir Mitch with disdain)

As sure as my name is Sir Mitch,

I have nothing to fear, and my party likewise.

As long as we favour the rich.

And your questions I really must stop.

This office is only one step as I climb

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It is cold at the top (Santa kindly intoned)

But to show that I still really care,

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## Adults Give Less to Fund But Kids Come Through

DUNCAN — More than 200 Christmas hampers were delivered to families and rest homes in the Cowichan Valley this year by volunteer members of the Cowichan Christmas Cheer Committee.

The hampers, purchased from \$1,000 raised, included food, toys, and in most cases, turkey vouchers. Members of various service clubs and organizations delivered the parcels.

Although the money donations were less than last year, children brought more canned goods to schools, where they were collected for the project.

UNION BAY — There was a lot of excitement on a recent afternoon at the Union Bay library when adults and children came to see the new catalogue of books in the Vancouver Island regional library. The details were in 16 loose-leaf binders, with bright yellow covers, in a heavy metal rack on the table. Monthly supplements will be added to the catalogue to keep subscribers up to date.

TOFINO — Buy a pen form a student. This will ensure that the worthy cause of sending mobile classrooms to underdeveloped Commonwealth countries will continue. This will be second half of local students' Project 100.

DUNCAN — Robert Carl Nelson, Cobble Hill, pleaded guilty Wednesday in magis-

trate's court to having care and control of a vehicle while impaired. He was fined \$300 and had his licence endorsed. Police said Nelson was in his car on the side of the road, with the keys in the ignition and the engine running.

DUNCAN — A Nanaimo woman has been transferred to Nanaimo Hospital after a one-car accident Wednesday morning on Trans-Canada Highway north of Herd Road. She is Pearl Pointe, who has back injuries. The car she was driving left the road and rolled over.

The funeral was held in Vancouver Wednesday of Hugh Daniel Murphy who died recently in Vancouver General Hospital at the age of 80.

He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. E. J. Farkes, Vancouver, one son, Dr. Thomas A. and two brothers, Thomas, of Vancouver, and James, of Victoria. Mr. Murphy was well known in the Lake Cowichan district where he was a partner in the logging company, MacDonald and Murphy Ltd. in the late 1920s and early '30s.

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## Around The Island

## Pioneer Buried

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**Mountain Drama**

# Rescuers Defy Elements

Langford volunteer fireman and a Colwood RCMP officer battled through heavy fog and drizzle Christmas Eve to rescue an 18-year-old youth who had fallen on treacherous Mount Finlayson.

One of the rescuers said the mountain is in such a dangerous state that its trails should be closed.

Ronald Evans, of 1684 Four Bay is in satisfactory condition in St. Joseph's Hospital.

**SPLIT FOR RETURN**

Ronald and four companions began climbing the mountain at about 2 p.m. Sunday. At the summit they split up for the return journey, and Ronald was missing when they regrouped on the road.

Three went for help while Philip Powell, 16, of 1025 Roselyn, climbed up the mountain to look for his friend.

He found him unconscious, apparently having fallen over a cliff and struck his head. By

that time it was dark and the two boys stayed where they were.

"You've got to respect a boy for doing a thing like that," Ronald's father, James Evans, said Tuesday. "He didn't have to go back. It took guts. He deserves all the credit he can be given."

Meanwhile, Colwood RCMP had called the Langford volunteer fire department and 10 volunteers went to the mountain.

Phillip said he and his companions became worried when Ronald didn't join them at the bottom of the mountain.

**KNEW OF INJURY**

"It was beginning to get dark ... then I could hear Ron crying out. I practically knew right off that he was injured."

"He was near the top. He was out up, just stretched out on a bare rock. Behind him was a 30-foot cliff. He was kind of shook up."

"I tried to take him back while the light was still good, but he couldn't go."

The two of them remained huddled there, with Ronald wearing Phillip's coat to help ward off the chill.

**WELCOME SOUND**

The ordeal began at about 5 p.m. Then came a welcome sound for Phillip and Ronald — sirens.

It was Langford volunteers and Colwood RCMP coming to the rescue.

"Thanks a lot to the Langford men," Phillip said. "We would have been dead if not for them. We have got to do something for them."

Phillip said he couldn't see the ground in front of him as he, Ronald and the rescuers descended the slippery mountain.

**COULDN'T SEE**

One of the volunteers described the rescue: "The fog was heavy. You couldn't see any lights. You couldn't hear anything."

"Seven of us started up looking for the boy. Three got there, the other four couldn't find him."

"You couldn't get your bearings. You couldn't see more than 50 feet in front of you. We were arguing which way to go. You couldn't even see the Malahat."

**PASSED BOYS**

One crew carrying a stretcher passed the two boys about a couple of hundred feet away. They couldn't see them or hear them.

That crew came out near Hall's Landing and backtracked to the bottom of the mountain. Then another crew went up again with the stretcher at about 10 p.m. and brought the Evans boy down.

The trip down took an agonizing five hours as the rescuers slipped and slid on the rain-soaked ground.

**FELL ON BACK**

One of the volunteers added: "The erosion is bad — just like a waterfall. I fell flat on my back several times while carrying the (empty) stretcher."

"There should be a no-trespassing sign on the trail. It's dangerous. It should be closed right down in the winter."

Mr. Evans described his son, who was city champion Colistatles manager in 1966, as active and adventurous.

"His brother was due in from Toronto or leave but his plane couldn't get in to Port Bay because of the fog."

"It was some Christmas Eve," he said.

## Mexican Feud Fatal for 11

**ACAPULCO, Mexico (AP)** —

When an old family feud broke out in a small village near Acapulco 11 members of two families were killed. Reports said several members of the Soriano family were surprised by their rivals in the Figueroa family and four Sorianos were killed. That night the Soriano survivors went looking for revenge and killed five members of the Figueroa family while losing two more of their own.

## 13 Peruvians Sink in Plane

**LIMA (AP)** — A Peruvian

amphibious airplane carrying 26 persons plunged into the Contamana River and sank Friday, the aeronautics ministry reported. It said 13 persons, including 11 Peruvian military men on leave, were missing and believed drowned.

## Toll Lower In France

**PARIS (AP)** — At least 12

persons were killed and 800 injured on French highways during three-day Christmas weekend, officials said. Last year 73 were killed and 615 injured in a two-day holiday.

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## Two Churches

### Unity Talks Bog Down

TORONTO (CP)—Merger talks between Anglican and United Church leaders have bogged down since the United Church approved the principles of union last year, an Anglican theologian said Wednesday.

He added that unity talks between Anglicans and Roman Catholics are proceeding more swiftly.

Dr. Eugene Fairweather, professor of dogmatic theology at Trinity College of the University of Toronto, spoke Wednesday before leaving for Malta to take part in the Anglican-Roman Catholic joint preparatory commission. He was appointed by the Archbishop of Canterbury to participate in the discussions.

#### CATHOLICS AGREE

"During long periods of talk we haven't received much enthusiasm and there still isn't much," he said about talks with the United Church. "But we certainly have it with the Roman Catholics because of our wide areas of agreement."

Anglican-Roman Catholic talks began last Jan. 12 after Archbishop Michael Ramsey and Pope Paul VI recommended talks the year before.

#### TRI-PARTNERSHIP

"If we get a breakthrough with Rome, we would have to seize the bird in the hand, but we would continue talks with the United Church in the hope that the whole thing might become a three-way relationship."

He said the immediate goal of the talks was "some form of sacramental communion" in which members of each church would be encouraged to worship together as Christian brothers.

Dr. Fairweather said the United Church might then be invited to join with the Anglicans in a loosely knit "united church with a small u" that would be in communion with Rome on

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## One Learned English

### Anthem Lyrics Down to Eight

VANCOUVER (CP)—The Senate-Commons committee choosing a new set of lyrics for O Canada has narrowed the 500 entries down to eight, including one from a man who didn't know a word of English when he came to this country 11 years ago.

Carpenter August Gedanz, who came to Canada from West Germany in 1956, said Wednesday he has been informed by the committee he is one of the final eight.

Gedanz said his lyrics took about a month to write after he learned English through home study. He said he decided to write the lyrics because "Canada is a fine country and one in which I like to live."

# THIEU WAVES BIG STICK

From UPI, AP, Reuters

A threat by embattled Cambodia Wednesday to seek help from Communist "volunteers" against any U.S. troops entering Cambodian territory drew an olive branch from Washington — but a big stick from Saigon.

Cambodian head of state Prince Norodom Sihanouk spoke in his third warning to the U.S. in a week, a warning that followed Washington reports saying the U.S. is thinking about pursuit of Viet Cong and North Vietnamese who flee into Cambodia for sanctuary.

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The U.S. reply was the disclosure of a note sent to Cambodia Dec. 4 proposing an international conference or even "informal talks" on the sanctuary problem.

But in Saigon, South Vietnamese President Thieu said that, if anti-Communist troops in his country are hit by enemy fire from within Cambodia, hot pursuit is "indeed a military necessity."

#### POPE CONSIDERING

Elsewhere, a Vatican source said Pope Paul may follow up his talks with President Johnson by sending a Vatican mission to North Vietnam early in 1968 to explore peace possibilities and seek humane treatment for U.S. prisoners of war.

Sihanouk said that, if U.S. forces commit aggression against Cambodia, he will:

- Call on Red China, North Korea and Cuba for volunteer fighters.
- Ask Russia to urge the U.S. not to undertake any military action against Cambodia.
- Seek military equipment from China and Russia.
- Demand that the UN Security Council call an emergency meeting to hear him.

Sihanouk said his country will not allow itself to be "butchered in silence by the Americans."

Then he added his only hopeful phrase: "But I am not pessimistic, as President Johnson has not yet given the green light."

U.S. officials said the Dec. 4 note underlines Washington's hope that the problem can be solved by diplomacy rather than through a widening of the war by authorizing extended military forays into Cambodia.

#### NOTHING HOSTILE

The note said the U.S. is "deeply concerned" about Communist use of Cambodian border areas but has "no hostile intentions toward Cambodia or Cambodian territory."

The note forwarded a summary of documentary evidence of Viet Cong and North Vietnamese havens on Cambodian soil and offered to supply details.

It expressed support for bolstering the International Control Commission to observe various borders in former Indochina.

#### DIRECT, INFORMAL

"In addition, the United States has supported an international conference on Cambodia, and it has also suggested direct, informal talks with Cambodian officials in order to seek an alternative remedy," the note said.

"The United States is deeply concerned over the critical issue of Viet Cong-North Vietnamese use of Cambodian territory and it wishes to emphasize once more its willingness to cooperate in any reasonable way of controlling this problem."

#### FIRST OF KIND

The note reassured U.S. respect for Cambodia's neutrality, sovereignty, independence and territorial integrity.

Thieu's statement in Saigon was the first of its kind from the southern president, although Foreign Minister Tran Van Do and others often have used the same words.

Thieu said: "South Vietnamese troops must fire back if

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## Czech Spy Swapped For French Artist

PARIS (UPI)—French authorities Wednesday announced a swap with Czechoslovakia of an unidentified Czech spy serving 10 years in a French prison for French artist Serge Oldenbourg, 41.

Oldenbourg had served 10 months of a three-year prison term for letting a Czech soldier use his French passport to defect a year ago. Oldenbourg was in Prague to organize a "happening."

## Truck Thieves Get \$333,365

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio (AP)—A team of two or three men, working with split-second timing and apparently their own

set of keys, escaped with more than \$333,365 Wednesday when they drove off with an armored truck from outside a department store in nearby Boardman, police reported.

Two Kane Secret Service Co. guards were in a department store for "four or five minutes," said Boardman Police Chief Don Hawkins.

"When they returned, the truck was gone," About one-half hour later the truck was found abandoned in a park. The robbers left some money behind.

"I would say it has every appearance of being an inside job," Hawkins said.

The truck was found abandoned about 1 1/2 miles from where it had been parked.

Hawkins estimated the total loss at \$333,365. He said the truck was carrying money on a bank transfer and also making pickups and deliveries at a shopping centre, five miles south of here.

Hawkins said two guards loaded a cart with coins to deliver to the store.

"They closed the automatic locking doors on the truck. They went into the store for four or five minutes. When they returned the truck was gone."

Hawkins said the man who apparently had the key to the truck was wearing a uniform.

## Poison Hunt Exhumes Three Bodies



Gibbs

CORDELE, Ga. (UPI) — Workmen panned a sprawling test over a hillside cemetery plot Wednesday and dug up the bodies of three more members of the family of Mrs. Janie Lou Gibbs, charged with the arsenic murder of one of her sons.

State medical experts stood by in the tent, performing autopsies on the bodies as soon as they were exhumed.

Authorities received permission to exhume the bodies of Mrs. Gibbs' husband, Charles, who died two years ago, and her other two sons, Melvin, 16, and Marvin, 13, because "they died under unusual and suspicious circumstances and there are reasons to believe that their

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## Peasant Led Way to Hideout

# \$4,000 Betrayed Che

PARIS (CP) — The hiding place of revolutionary Ernesto (Che) Guevara was given away by a peasant who wanted a 50,000-peso (about \$4,000) reward, says the French news magazine Paris Match.

An article by French journalist Michele Ray, who earlier this year spent three weeks as a captive of the Viet Cong in South Vietnam, gives a detailed version of the last hours before Guevara died in October.

#### MOUNTAIN GORGE

Miss Ray, who spent six weeks in Bolivia researching the article, said Guevara and other guerrillas were hidden in a mountain gorge when the peasant spotted them.

The article says the peasant told the army commander at the village of La Higuera and troops surrounded the gorge Oct. 3. The army lobbed mortar shells into the area and riddled it with machine-gun bullets, it says.

"Only one solution was left: the besieged guerrillas: To climb," Miss Ray writes.



Ray



Guevara

Miss Ray says she was unable to get to the village, but a Bolivian reporter, Jorge Torrico, got through and spoke to several inhabitants.

The article quotes a male nurse in the village as saying: "I went to examine Che. A bad wound in the leg. It was the only one. I washed it out with water and disinfectant."

The article says Guevara kicked one Bolivian officer and spat in the face of an admiral who attempted to question him.

The officer he kicked was identified only as Espinosa, who had taken the rebel leader by the hair and yanked a pipe out of his mouth for a souvenir.

#### REFUSED INFORMATION

Guevara refused to give any other information than his own name to the officers, the account says.

It says that the day after his capture, Guevara was taken to the local school and a sergeant named Mario Terran "came in, his M-2 carbine at his hip."

"Sit down," he (Terran) said.

"Why, since you are going to kill me?" Che replied calmly.

"No, sit down."

"His eyes lowered, avoiding the eyes of his prisoner, Terran makes as though to leave. Suddenly a burst of gunfire. Che crumples up."

After Terran, Sub-Lt. Lerez shot him in the neck to make sure he was dead, the article says.

#### GUNFIRE DRAW

Willy and "El Maestro," another guerrilla captured with Guevara, also were shot, it says.

The report adds that after his death, Guevara was fired upon by several other soldiers who were told "not to shoot him above the waist."

The village people crowded around, drawn by the sound of gunfire, Miss Ray says.

"In 10 minutes everyone knew. And it is just for that reason that two months afterwards the village is still shut off from the outside."

## Grandma Shows Canada

Grandmother of three, Mrs. Charles Turner, 56, of Preston, Ont., this week unveiled personal centennial project—100-pound air-cushion machine. Science-minded wife of air conditioning company service manager says she felt Canada is slow in developing such vehicles. She built machine with advice from husband and U.S. firm, and has already completed one test flight with federal sanction.

—(CP)

## Five Years —Then Acquittal

MONTREAL (CP)—The Quebec Appeals Court Wednesday acquitted Emile Roussy, 41, of Hull, after he served nearly half of a 10-year term for a 1962 bank holdup.

The five-judge bench ruled 4-1 Roussy was convicted on "suspicious" and circumstantial evidence did not prove guilt beyond reasonable doubt. The five said the lower court judge may have been justified in rejecting Roussy's alibi, but no proof was offered that he was in the area of the crime.

## Road Tolls Change

From AP, UPI

Britain ended the five-day Christmas holiday Wednesday with 86 traffic deaths, 80 fewer than last year, and all authorities credited the new law that keeps many drinking drivers off the road.

Sweden, however, where driving moved to the right side of the road from the left in September, saw its toll jump to 16 from six.

## U.S. Navy Deserters Fed Up

# Quartet Tired of Russia

MOSCOW (AP) — Four U.S. navy deserters who came to Moscow to protest the Vietnamese war told a chance acquaintance Wednesday they are "fed up with Russia."

The deserters, who jumped ship in Japan in October, said they are anxious to get to Sweden and settle down with steady jobs. They said they hope to go in a week or two.

The Swedish embassy, asked whether the sailors had applied for visas, said only: "We have no news of them."

The young sailors chatted openly in Moscow's Gorky Park with an English-speaking member of the diplomatic community while skating on one of the park's frozen ponds. The sailors approached the woman

after they heard her speaking English to friends.

She said they told her they were being kept in a private house about two miles outside of Moscow and were not allowed to move about freely.

The sailors are Craig Anderson, 20, of San Jose, Calif.; John Barilla, 20, of Catonsville, Md.; Richard Bailey, 19, of Jacksonville, Fla.; and Michael Lindner, 19, of Mount Pocono, Pa. They have not seen western correspondents since their arrival.

The Soviet Peace Committee, which has been handling them, has turned away reporters with the explanation they did not want to meet western journalists.